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MANY AWENDMENTS TO BILL DEFEATED

Annual Naval Appropriation Bill Passed by Senate.

DEBATE WAS HEATED

Some Senators Wanted to Cut Battleship Programme from Two to One—Others Wanted Three Dreadnoughts Built.

Washington, June 2.—The Senate late today passed the annual naval appropriation bill, carrying about $141,000,000, providing for the administration two battleship construction programme, and authorizing, in addition, the building of a third modern dreadnought with money to be derived from the sale of the two battleships Idaho and Mississippi.

The measure now will go to conference between the Houses. At the last moment, an amendment was added to create a special committee to report on the location and cost of a government plate factory. A similar provision in the measure, as it passed the House, has been eliminated by the Senate committee.

The clause in the bill directing the building of one of the new battleships at a government navy yard led to a prolonged discussion.

Senator Vardaman sought to amend the bill to appropriate for only one new battleship; Senator Thomas wanted none, and Senator Brandegee contended for three. All these amendments were defeated.

Senator Vardaman declared there should be more of the Golden Rule and less of the "damnable" rule of war.

"Does not the Senator believe we ought to prepare for war if this country is going to invade another merely because a usurper in that country refuses to salute the flag?" inquired Senator Works.

"I am not informed of the motives of the present administration in entering Mexico," responded Senator Vardaman, "but I am about coming to the conclusion that it would be infinitely better for the American people to attend to their business and let other nations attend to theirs. I am tired of the United States doing police duty."

An amendment by Senator Gore was adopted appropriating $150,000 for fuel oil storage at some point accessible to the Texas and Oklahoma oil fields. Senator LaFollette's amenrment offering to any informant 10 per cent of any fine collected for conspiracy to defraud the government in furnishing war materials, and one offered by Senator Kenyon to authorize the President to call an international conference in Washington in the autumn to consider an agreement to suspend battleship construction, were voted down.

ROOSEVELT TO GET A PAST RULER'S FREE PASS.

French Government Treats Him Like a King in That Respect.

Paris, June 2.—The French government decided today to treat Col. Theodore Roosevelt the same as it does former rulers and furnish him with a special permit authorizing him to pass through the police lines at all times on his journey through France on the way to Madrid to attend the wedding of his son Kermit with Miss Belle Wyatt Willard.

Many classifications of these special passes are issued to diplomats and others, out all are limited in regard to the privileges accorded except the White permit, which is given only to visiting rulers, ex-rulers and members of royal families. This is the kind which is to be handed to Col. Roosevelt.

Gabriel Honatoux, former French foreign minister, intends to give a luncheon Saturday in honor of Col. Roosevelt. Myron T. Herrick, American ambassador, is arranging to entertain the former President and his party.

NEW HAVEN DIRECTORS IN SPECIAL MEETING.

Discussed Much of Testimony Recently Given by Charles Mellen.

New York, June 2.—Directors of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad held a special meeting today and discussed much of the testimony recently given by former President Mellen before the Inter-State Commerce Commission. It was understood several directors will appear before the commission tomorrow and testify in an effort to contradict some of Mr. Mellen's statements.

Later in the week a number of accountants, engineers and operating officials of the road will correct certain testimony of a technical character.

William Rockefeller was not present today.

PENDER FARES BADLY.

Each Successive Term of Court Cut Short.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Burgaw, N. C., June 2.—Pender county has suffered more in the matter of her courts than any other county in this section. When Judge Allen was here for a two weeks term, he adjourned court Friday evening of the first week until the next Monday, and the following week court wound up by Thursday afternoon. This time the county loses two days, and, at this rate, Pender's docket will never get anywhere near clear. Aside from the Hand homicide case, there is nothing of much importance on the criminal docket for this term, which convenes tomorrow.

GENERAL HUERTA AGREES TO HIS OWN EFFACEMENT

Mexican Delegates at Niagara Falls Issue Formal Statement, Declaring That "Neither Mistaken Pride Nor Personal Interest Would Prevent His Withdrawal When Mexico is Politically Pacified"—Mediators Send an Answer to Carranza.

Niagara Falls, Ont., June 2.—President Huerta is preparing to resign. He today authorized his representatives at the Mediation Conference to announce to the world that "neither mistaken pride nor personal interest would prevent his withdrawal when once Mexico is politically pacified" and the Government succeeding his is so constituted that it can count on the support of public opinion in Mexico.

The Mexican delegates in their formal statement revealed that they had been instructed from the first to inform the mediators that General Huerta's personality would not be an obstacle toward reaching a peaceful settlement. They also stated that the internal situation in Mexico was "necessarily bound up with the international questions," and that this spirit had actuated them in coming to the mediation conference.

Coincident with the announcement by the Mexican delegates of their position, the mediators tonight sent a note by mail to Rafael Zubaran Company, representative of General Carranza in Washington, replying to the communication brought here Friday by Juan F. Urquidi. The mediators in effect asked Gen. Carranza if the Constitutionalists were willing to discuss internal as well as international questions, and if they were ready to declare an armistice with the Huerta forces so that the "political pacification" to which the Huerta delegates referred in their statement might be speedily brought about.

Mediation Progresses Rapidly.

These acts—the issuance of the statement by the Mexicans and the mailing of a reply to Zubaran—broke the deadlock in the negotiations, the existence of which the mediators today formally denied. It nevertheless was authoritatively established that not until the mediators withdrew their original intention of ignoring the Zuburan note, did the American delegates consent to go ahead with a discussion of the general peace plan on which substantial progress was made in today's conferences. The statement by the Mexicans, prepared two days ago, but not issued until General Huerta had telegraphed his complete approval today of the tentative plan for a new provisional government, also carried the negotiations a long step forward. The text of the statement follows:

"In accordance with the instructions which the Mexican delegation has had since the beginning of the peace negotiations, its members declared at the first full conference; that is to say, in the presence of the mediating plenipotentiaries and of the delegates of the United States of America that President Huerta's personality is not an obstacle to the reaching of a satisfactory conclusion.

"General Huerta is prepared to withdraw from the Government on condition that, at the time of his withdrawal Mexico shall be politically pacified and the government succeeding his shall be such as to count on the acquiescence of the governed and on the support of public opinion, which constitute the real basis for peace and stability in any country.

"It has been and is President Huerta's wish to place on record that neither mistaken pride no personal interest will prevent his withdrawal, once the above named conditions are satisfied.

"The Mexican government accepted the mediation of the South American powers in a frank and open spirit, and the Mexican delegation has been guided and will be guided in all its acts by perfect good faith.

"It should be unnecessary to say that President Huerta gave the Mexican delegation special instructions not to consent to anything which could hurt the sovereignty of the Mexican nation, and to refuse a hearing in the deliberations of the conference to anything which might be construed aas an imposition from the outside. For their own part, the delegates would not have accepted instructions of a different nature on these points; but they beg to state that hitherto they have had no occasion to refer to them, thanks to the exquisite tact of the mediating plenipotentiaries and to the circumspection of the American delegates.

"To treat of the interior pacification of Mexico in the course of deliberations on difficulties of an international character cannot be considered as submitting the sovereignty of the nation to an external influence; said pacification is necessarily bound up with the international questions. This has been appreciated by the Mexican delegation and in setting forth the intentions of its government in the matter and in its endeavors to bring about the pacification it has been inspired by the knowledge that without it no satisfactory conclusion can be arrived at in the international question."

Held Long Conference.

Just before the statement was issued the Mexican delegates had a long conference with the mediators. Afterwards they telegraphed Gen. Huerta to send them the names of the men who will be satisfactory to him for places in the new provisional government, which is to consist of two men chosen by Huerta, two by the Constitutionalists and a neutral provisional president, selected by common agreement of all parties. The first four are to compose the cabinet, but are to be morally obligated by the terms of any agreement reached here to share equally the responsibility of a fair administration which will be expected not only to conduct a general election but to make a beginning on internal reforms.

It was just before the mediators, the Mexican delegates, and the American representatives entered the banquet given for them tonight by the Associated Canadian Clubs that typewritten copies of the position of General Huerta were given out. The American commissioners read it eagerly. The Mexican delegates expressed their gratification that they had been able to make the announcement and confirm press reports on the subject. The mediators made no comment, but the effect of the statement on the attitude of the Constitutionalists toward mediation was the subject of intense interest on all sides.

Make Strong Point.

By subordinating personalities and declaring themselves in favor of treating internal as well as international questions, while not yielding their national sovereignty, the Mexican delegates, it was generally agreed here, had launched a strong argument against the Constitutionalist position. The general view was that if the Huerta representatives had found no impropriety in dealing here with the internal Mexican situation the world generally would not approve of technical objections to the same course coming from Gen. Carranza.

Whether an armistice could be arranged was another topic of interest. The mediators are known to feel that if the Constitutionalists are sincerely desirous of restoring peace in Mexico they could arrange an armistice for ten days or two weeks, without ceasing military preparations. The mediators believe that the next two or three days will develop clearly whether the Constitutionalists are really seeking peace.

The explicit statement from the Huerta delegates encouraged the three diplomats in that it set before the world as practically accomplished one of the principal points in the dispute between the United States and the Huerta government—the elimination of Huerta.

The responsibility if the program should be upset now the mediators feel will devolve on the Constitutionalists. One of the three envoys said today that the mediators from the outset had recognized Gen. Carranza as a factor in the international situation. Concrete evidence of this, he declared, was the tendering at the outset of the mediation negotiations, of good offices to him on a par with Gen. Huerta and the United States.

The mediators, it is understood, have in their note, sent to Zubaran at Washington tonight reiterated that the chief points in which they are concerned are a suspension of hostilities in the civil strife and a discussion of Mexico's internal as well as international affairs. The Zubaran combination and its reply will be made public here tomorrow.

The decision to send the reply was reached after the American delegates conferred with the mediators. The Americans were so encouraged by the prospect of re-opening the correspondence that they felt justified in going ahead with the peace plan worked out previous to the injection of the Constitutionalist controversy.

Will Not Consider It.

Washington, June 2.—Upon being informed tonight that the Mexican delegates at Niagara Falls had announced the willingness of General Huerta to resign, "once Mexico is politically pacified," the Constitutional agency authorized this statement:

"Anything coming from Huerta's side will not be taken into consideration."

As to the note sent tonight by the South American mediators to Rafael Zubaran, asking whether the Constitutionalists are ready to discuss internal as well as international questions, and to agree to an armistice, Senor Zubaran said it would be manifestly improper for him to discuss the matter, pending the arrival of the commission.

Earlier in the evening, before press dispatches telling of the latest developments at Niagara Falls had been received, members of the Constitutionalits agency had reiterated their declaration that no proposal for an armistice would be considered, and that no plan for a provisional government to be participated in by Huerta or his followers would be acceptable to the Constitutionalists.

Officials of the American government declined to comment on the news. Secretary Bryan said the statement of the Huerta delegates was "very interesting," but would not discuss it further.

EMPRESS OF IRELAND MAY BE RAISED

Lloyds', Insurance Underwriters, to Decide on Disposal of Vessel.

Montreal, Can., June 2.—Lloyds', the insurance underwriters, will decide whether it will be feasible to raise the foundered Empress of Ireland from the bottom of the St. Lawrence river, it was learned today. The Canadian Pacific Railway Company, owners of the vessel, automatically relinquished all claim to her when she sank.

In support of their contention that the Storstad was not to blame for the collision, her owners today prepared an application to the Admiralty Court, demanding the release of the collier from arrest.

FINISHING TOUCH TO CLAYTON BILL

Second Measure on House Programme Completed

FINAL ACTION SOON

After Being Completed by Committee as a Whole Bill is Laid Aside to Await Final Vote by House. Another Bill.

Washington, June 2.—The Clayton anti-trust bill, second measure on the Congressional anti-trust programme, was completed in committee of the whole by the House today and laid aside awaiting a final vote. The Rayburn bill, placing the issue of railroad securities under control of the Inter-State Commerce Commission, was taken up immediately for general debate.

Ten hours of general debate is allowed on the Rayburn bill under a special rule and House leaders will try to complete the final measure by the end of the week.

When detailed consideration of the Rayburn bill is completed the three trust measures will be taken from the committee of the whole into the House for final vote.

As finally agreed on the Clayton bill contains provisions aimed against price discrimination; prohibiting arbitrary refusal to sell natural mineral products; forbidding sale or lease of goods conditioned on the agreement of purchaser or lessee not to deal in competing products; making decrees in suits brought by the United States under the anti-trust laws, conclusive evidence in private suits against the same defendants, prohibiting corporations from controlling competing concerns by stock ownership and forbidding interlocking directorates in concerns under Federal jurisdiction.

Labor sections of the bill provide that nothing in the anti-trust laws shall be construed to forbid the existence and operation of farmers' and labor unions and that such organizations and their members shall not be construed or held to be combinations or conspiracies in restraint of trade. The measure also limits the use of the injunction in labor disputes; legalizes strikes, primary boycots, peaceful picketing and the peaceful assemblage of strikers, and provides for trial by jury in cases of contempt of court committed outside of the presence of the court, or not near enough to interfere with the administration of justice.

The penalty section would impose a fine of $5,000 on corporations convicted of violating the law and a similar fine or imprisonment for one year as a penalty for directors, officers, agents or employes who authorize, direc or perform acts which result in violation of the law by the corporation.

PUT DYNAMITE UNDER FEDERAL BUILDING

Watchman Badly Frightens Government Clerks.

Four Sticks of Explosive Immediately Under Secretary Houston's Office. Wanted to be Promoted for Bravery.

Washington, June 2.—Several hundred clerks and officials fled in fright from their offices in the Department of Agriculture today when Daniel V. Jauch, a watchman, scurried through the corridors shouting that the building was about to be destroyed by dynamite.

Led by Jauch, several of the cooler-headed department officials ran to the basement, where they found four sticks of dynamite on which the fuses had been burned out. Apparently an explosion had been averted because the fuses had been jammed so tightly into the detonation caps that the fire was extinguished.

Then came a hurried sequel.

Jauch, who had suffered severe injuries to his head while serving as a soldier in the Philippines several years ago, was taken to a police station and subjected to rigid questioning.

Later the police announced that he had admitted that he himself placed the explosives.

Department officials said they believed the watchman intended to "discover" the dynamite before it could do harm, hoping to win promotion for heroism.

The dynamite had been placed directly beneath the office of Secretary Houston. The Secretary was out of town, but immediately across the corridor from his office Assistant Secretary Galloway and several other officials were working.

Jauch has been employed for five years in the department.

Frequently he has been under treatment of physicians at the Soldiers' Home and has been compelled to take several leaves of absence.

The police said Jauch told them that he purchased the dynamite in Springfield, Ohio, his home town. He recently returned from there after a visit.

FAMOUS CONSTANTINOPLE COLLEGE TO DEDICATE NEW BUILDINGS TODAY

CONSTANTINOPLE COLLEGE—DR. MARY MILLS PATRICK PRESIDENT

Constantinople, June 2.—Constantinople College, in which many rich Americans are interested, dedicates tomorrow five new buildings on its new property at Arnautkeuy, on the European shores of the Bosphorus. Work on the construction of these buildings was begun in the summer of 1910.

The late Mrs. Henry Woods, of Boston, was the first to subscribe to this enterprise with a gift of $50,000. In 1910 $150,000 was contributed by Helen Miller Gould, now Mrs. Finley J. Shepard, to be used in the construction of an administration building. Subsequently Mrs. Shepard added $50,000. This hall is to be known as Gould hall and is a memorial to the parents of the donor. Next to Gould hall stands the refectory, the gift of Miss Olivia Phelps Stokes. This building is to be known as Mitchell hall. Russell Sage hall was donated in the summer of 1912 by Mrs. Sage as a memorial to her husband. The total cost of the plant up to date approximates $750,000. In addition to the above named buildings there is a power house fully equipped with American machinery for supplying heat, water and electricity for lighting and other purposes to the entire plant. This has been constructed with funds given by John D. Rockefeller at a cost of $100,000. The dedication of these buildings marks an era in the history of higher education for women in the Near East.

CARGO OF AMMUNITION FOR REBELS LEAVES NEW YORK

Washington Order Preventing Shipment of Arms to Mexico From Any American Port Delayed En Route to New York, and Steamer Left With War Munitions—Bryan Surprised, When Told of Clearance of Vessel for Port of Tampico.

Washington, June 2.—Ammunition for the Mexican Constitutionalists left American shores from New York today, bound for Tampico, while Mexican mediation apparently marked time at Niagara Falls, the attitude of the Constitutionalists a stumbling block in the negotiations.

Information that the steamer Antilla, which recently was fired on by Constitutionalists outside Tampico, had left New York with munitions of war, created considerable stir in Washington.

The vessel was cleared without intereference on the part of the United States greatly to the surprise of Secretary Bryan and other department officials. Subsequently it was discovered that an order to prevent clearance of such vessels had been delayed and that the Antilla had procured clearnace papers had Washington believed effectual steps had been taken to prevent her sailing.

Up to the present Tampico has been regarded as an open port. The United States, however, has sought to maintain an embargo on arms to Mexico across the border and last Friday, when it became apparent munitions of war for the Constitutionalist were being prepared for shipment from New York an order wa issued to prevent clearances of vessels bearing arms for any Mexican port. This order did not reach the proper port officials until late today, after clearance papers had been issued to the Antilla.

Word of the order did not even reach the War Department until today though army officers for many weeks have been enforcing an embargo on arms along the Mexican border.

No embargo from American ports was contemplated until the Constitutionalists captured the port of Tampico. Then it became apparent that this government would be required to prevent shipments of ammunition to the revolutionists to preserve neutrality between the Huerta and Carranza factions.

Landing Maybe Prevented.

Whether the United States will attempt to prevent the landing of the Antilla's cargo at Tampico is problematical. Army and Navy officials were considerably exercised over the incident and there were reports current that several other shiploads of ammunition have been under way for several days bound also for Tampico.

Mediation developments at Niagara Falls may prove an important factor, it was declared tonight, in shaping the attitude of the United States toward the treatment of Tampico as an open port. In some quarters it was maintained the United States could not interfere with landing arms for the Constitutionalists because arms for Huerta were permitted to be landed at Puerto Mexico. On the otherhand, it was argued, that should a portocol between the Huerta and United States representatives be agreed to at Niagara Falls, this government might be bound to prevent shipment of arms to Carranza's forces.

President Wilson and the cabinet discussed the mediation situation early in the day and a dispatch later was sent to Commissioners Lamar and Lehmann at Niagara Falls. This message was believed to have concerned the attitude of Carranza.

Constitutionalist representatives in Washington today did not anticipate any charge in their status at Niagara Falls.

Information received today from Mexico City outlined a plan said to be contemplated by Gen. Huerta for holding a popular election without awaiting the result of mediation or the outcome of the Constitutionalist rebellion. The message said Huerta proposed to hold provisional elections July 5th to chose various State officials, affording all elements now at war opportunity to participate and to give at this election an opportunity for the electors to express preferences for the presidency. In this, it was declared, Gen. Huerta would entirely eliminate himself as a factor. The plan contemplates that as soon as the provisional elections are held a general presidential election shall be arranged and for Huerta to resign in the meantime as president.

An expected German protest against the imposition of fines on the masters of the steamships Bavaria and Ypiranga, for landing munitions of war at Puerto Mexico has not reached Washington. Officials appeared much gratified by the conduct ship Seiyo Maru, which reached Salina Cruz Sunday, but according to a report from Admiral Badger, landed no arms or ammunition. The admiral reported that he understood the Japanese steamship company had declined to carry such a cargo, although the goods were ordered before there was any question of an embargo.

Mexicans Well Armed.

Vera Cruz, Mex., June 2.—Outside the usual crop of unsubstantiated rumors, ranging from Huerta's resignation and flight to an impending attack on the American outposts nothing disturbed the routine of life in Vera Cruz today.

A Mexican who arrived here was arrested because he brought in more than 100 rounds of ammuniton. He said, he was a deserter from the Mexico City police force and had brought

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JUST HOW FAR MAY COMMISSION GO?

In Search of Books and Records is Subject of Debate.

IN SENATE COMMITTEE

Inter-State Commerce Commissioners Clements and Hall Before Senate Inter-State Commerce Committee Yesterday.

Washington, June 2.—How far the Inter-State Commerce Commission should be permitted to go in examining records of a railroad and its employees and of corporations doing business with it, was the subject of long debate today before the Senate Inter-State Commerce commitee. The committee is drafting anti-trust legislation and Inter-State Commerce Commissioners Clements and Hall appeared with an anti-trust bill which has been introduced in Congress amended to meet the commission's views.

Under the proposed amendments the commission would be given "access" to the books, records and memoranda of any carrier or any of its agents, officers, attorneys or of any orporation with which the carrier had business dealings. Senators Brandegese, Lippitt and Salisbury indicated that they believed the provision too drastic.

"It looks," said Senator Bradegee, "like giving the commission power to go on fishing expeditions."

Senator Lippitt criticised the commission's further proposal that records he kept until the commission gives authority for their destruction.

Judge Robert S. Lovet, of the Union Pacific and several representatives of other railroads, will appear tomorrow before the committee to discuss the same bill.

Commissioner Clements told the commitee he approved the House bill prohibiting inter-locking directorates, holding companies and making the commission supervisor of the issue of railroad securities.

"Government ownership is to be avoided as long as it can be," he said. "I should dread the possibility and results. The opportunities for graft would be great. I would rather not see it come.

"I do not think the vast majority of the American people object to paying rates that will give a moderate income to the roads, only they want to know that they are paying on what actually has been invested."

STRAWBERRY SEASON OVER.

News Notes and Personals From Burgaw.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Burgaw, N. C., June 2.—The strawberry season here is about over, and the crop was cut short considerably by the dry weather. Huckleberries are now on the market and the crop promises to be good.

Miss Blanche Paddison left yesterday morning for a visit to her sister at Monbo before going to Chapel Hill to attend the summer school——Miss Fannie Noel, a member of the faculty of Burgaw high school, has been spending the time since the unveiling with Miss Douglass Hand. They also will attend the summer school at Chapel Hill——Rev. P. L. Clark has returned from the Presbyterian General Assembly at Kansas City.

GOVERNMENT HAS RETAINED SIR WILLIAM WILCOX.

As Consulting Engineer for Reclamation Service—Built Big Dam.

Phoenix, Ariz., June 2.—Sir William Willcox, builder of the Assouan Dam in Egypt, has been retained by the government as consulting engineer for the United States Reclamation Service.

This was given out today by W. A. Ryan, comptroller of the reclamation commission. Sir William left last night for Yuma, Ariz., and will make a tour of inspection of all the government reclamation projects.

"TORTURERS OF WOMEN."

Young Suffragettes Chain Themselves to Gates of Royal Palace.

London, June 2.—Two young militant suffragists today chained themselves to the gates at the entrance to Buckingham Palace. They waved women's social and political union flags and shouted denunciations of the "torturers of women." Neither King George nor Queen Mary was in the palace.

The authorities of the Royal Exchange today ordered women excluded from the building as they fear damage may be done valuable frescoes by suffragists.

CAPT. G. M. CRAPON DEAD.

Was Popular Retired Railway Conductor—At Newbern, N. C.

Newbern, N. C., June 2.—Capt. Geo. M. Crapon, for many years a well known and highly esteemed conductor on the Wilmington & Newbern branch of the Atlantic Coast Line, died here this afternoon. In later years Capt. Crapon, who was well known in Wilmington and along the line, had retired. The hour for the funeral was not learned tonight.

EMMETT WILSON RE-NOMINATED.

Florida Representative is Again the Choice of Party for Congress.

Pensacola, Fla., June 2.—Emmett Wilson, Representative in Congress from the Third Florida district, was re-nominated as the Democratic candidate in today's district primary. State's Attorney John P. Stokes, of this city, who opposed him, conceded Mr. Wilson's nomination tonight. Complete returns are not yet available, but Mr. Wilson's majority will be large.

ATHLETICS DIVIDE SENATORS, TIGERS AND BROWNS WIN.

:: SPORTS ::

GIANTS DIVIDE REDS AND PIRATES LOSE THEIR GAMES.

∴ STANDING OF THE MAJOR LEAGUE CLUBS ∴

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	23	15	.605
Washington	24	16	.600
Detroit	25	17	.595
Boston	19	20	.487
St. Louis	19	20	.487
New York	17	21	.447
Chicago	18	24	.429
Cleveland	14	26	.350

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	23	12	.657
Cincinnati	26	16	.619
Pittsburgh	21	16	.568
Chicago	20	22	.476
Brooklyn	17	19	.472
St. Louis	20	24	.455
Philadelphia	16	20	.444
Boston	11	24	.314

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Baltimore	22	13	.629
Chicago	20	17	.541
Buffalo	17	17	.500
Brooklyn	16	16	.500
St. Louis	19	21	.475
Pittsburgh	17	20	.459
Indianapolis	16	19	.457
Kansas City	18	22	.450

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At Boston 3; Philadelphia 2.
2nd: Boston 2; Philadelphia 4.
At Detroit 5; Chicago 2.
At New York 8; Washington 9.
At Cleveland 0; St. Louis 3.

At Brooklyn 2; Boston 3; (13 innings)
2nd: Brooklyn 4; Boston 3.
At Philadelphia 9; New York 2.
2nd: Philadelphia 0; New York 7.
At St. Louis 5; Cincinnati 4.
At Chicago 7; Pittsburg 3.

At Pittsburg 10; Buffalo 2.
2nd: Pittsburg 3; Buffalo 7.
At Brooklyn 11; Baltimore 5.
At Kansas City 2; Chicago 6.
At St. Louis 3; Indianapolis 2.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Cleveland at Chicago.
St. Louis at Detroit.
Washington at New York.
Philadelphia at Boston.

Boston at Brooklyn.
New York at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at St. Louis.

Buffalo at Pittsburg.
Baltimore at Brooklyn.
Chicago at Kansas City.
Indianapolis at St. Louis.

AMERICAN

ATHLETICS AND RED SOX DIVIDED DOUBLE HEADER.

Pennock Driven from Mound in the Eighth; Shawkey Stopped Scoring.

Boston, June 2.—Philadelphia and Boston divided a double header today, the Red Sox winning the first game 3 to 2, the Athletics the second 4 to 2. Boston drove Pennock from the box in the eighth inning of the second game, but Shawkey stopped the scoring.

Philadelphia ....000 000 200—2 5 2
Boston .....000 002 10x—3 9 1
Bush and Schang; Leonard and Thomas.

Second game:
Philadelphia ....000 110 020—4 10 0
Boston .....000 000 020—2 6 0
Pennock, Shawkey and Lapp; Foster, Cooper and Cady and Thomas.

BOEHLING DID NOT LAST; SENATORS DOWNED YANKS.

Ninth Inning Rally Netting Three Runs Enough to Win.

New York, June 2.—In a ninth inning rally which netted three runs, Washington defeated New York today. Catcher Henry, of Washington, was knocked out by a foul tip and was forced to retire.

Washington ....041 010 003—9 13 2
New York .....302 000 300—8 10 3
Boehling, Ayres, Engel and Henry; and A. Williams; Fischer, Cole, Keating and Nunemaker.

SIXTH INNING RALLY WON FOR TIGERS.

Seven Tiger Base Runners Stole on Backstop Schalk.

Detroit, June 2.—By a batting rally in the sixth inning, which resulted in three runs, Detroit defeated Chicago 5 to 2 today. Seven stolen bases were made at Schalk's expense.

Chicago .....020 000 000—2 9 0
Detroit .....200 030 00x—5 8 2
Russell and Schalk; Hall and Stanage.

BROWN RECRUIT TWIRLER HELD NAPS TO ONE HIT.

And Lowly Naplanders Received Another Defeat, 3 to 0.

Cleveland, June 2.—Wylie Taylor, a recruit pitcher for the St. Louis Americans, allowed Cleveland but one hit today, the visitors winning three to nothing. Graney was put out of the game for disputing an umpire's decision.

Cleveland .....000 000 000—0 1 1
St. Louis .....010 100 100—2 13 0
Hagerman and O'Neill; Taylor and Agnew.

FLORIDA NOMINATES SENATOR.

Results of Yesterday's State-Wide Primary Unknown.

Jacksonville, Fla., June 2.—Many candidates and a complex system of tabulating the first and second choice of the voters delayed the court tonight of the ballots cast in today's State-wide primary for the selection of Democratic candidates for United States Senator, four members of the National House of Representatives and various State and county offices.

The first scattering returns showed Senator Duncan U. Fletcher, who is a candidate for re-nomination, to be leading John N. C. Stockton. Both Senatorial candidates live here. Supporters of Senator Fletcher said they were confident that he would be renominated by a large majority. His present term expires on March 3rd, 1915.

JOE BENZ WOULD ADOPT HIMSELF A STURDY SON

Chicago, June 2.—Joe Benz, pitcher of the Chicago American League Club, looked over the children in the municipal court today seeking to adopt a baby.

"I want a good sturdy boy with the right kind of arms, "he said. The clerk of the court promised to look out for a boy.

Benz was marrie dthis Spring.

Washington, June 2.—President Wilson began reading today the appeal for clemency on behalf of the 29 labor leaders convicted in the dynamiting conspiracy. It probably will be several days before the President will be ready to announce whether he will interfere.

Today will be your last chance to see Mary Pickford in "Tess of the Storm Country," at the Grand Theatre from 11 A. M. to 11 P. M.
(advertisement.)

NATIONAL

GAVVY CRAVATH MADE TW O HOMES OFF MARQUARD

Giants And Phillies Broke Even in Double Bill Yesterday.

Philadelphia, June 2.—New York broke even with Philadelphia in a double header here today, the home team winning the first game by 9 to 2, and the visitors the second by 7 to 0. Marquard and Fromme were hit hard in the first, Cravath making two home runs off the former. In the closing contest the visitors in the fourth when a series of hits caused the retirement of Jacobs in favor of Tincup.

New York .. .. 100 010 000—2 5 4
Philada. . .. .010 040 31x—9 12 3
Marquard, Fromme and Meyers, McLeean; Oeschger and Killifer.

Second game—
New York . . . 000 410 002—2 14 2
Philada... . . .000 000 000—0 5 3
Tesreau and Myers; McLean, Jacobs, Tincup, Mattison and Killifer, E. Burns.

PITTSBOURGH PIRATES DROP EIGHTH STRAIGHT GAME

Hank O' Day's Cubs Administered Another Defeat Yesterday.

Chicago, June 2.—Chicago defeated Pittsburgh in the final game of the series here today by 7 to 3, thereby causing the visitors to drop their eighth straight game. Leack's tripple in the fourth inning with two men on, clinched the game.

Pittsburgh.. . .002 000 100—3 5 3
Chicago. . . . .030 202 00x—7 11 2
Adams, Cooper and Gibson, Kafora; Pierce and Archer.

BECK'S CLOUT IN EIGHTH TON FOR ST. LOUIS CARDS

Defeated Cincinnati Reds Five to Four—Twirlers Wild.

St. Louis, June 2.—Beck's double with Butler on second gave St. Louis the run which enabled the mto defeat Cincinnati today 5 to 4. Cincinnati used three pitchers, of which Davenport was the wildest. He was taken out in the fifth inning, after he had settled down, to make way for a pinch hiter.

Cincinnati. . . .002 001 100—4 8 2
St. Louis. . . . .400 000 01x—5 6 2
Davenport, Ingersoll, Benton and Clarke; Hageman, Doak Wingo, O' Connor.

DODGERS AND BRAVES DIVIDE THEIR BILL

Lowly Braves Captured First But Dropped Second Affair.

Brooklyn, June 2.—Brooklyn and Boston divided today's double header. Boston won the first game and Brooklyn the second. The first game was a 13-inning affair, in which Reulbach and James had a great pitchers duel. Brooklyn won the second game by bunching hits off Cocheram.

Boston 200 000 000 000 1—3 9 0
Brooklyn 000 020 000 000 0—2 13 2
James and Whaling, Gowdy; Reulbach and Miller.

Second game—
Boston. . . . . .000 002 010—3 6 1
Brooklyn. . . . . 002 010 10x—4 8 0
Cocheram, Strand and Gowdy; Pfeffer and Fischer.

UNION MEETING SUNDAY.

New Advent Church at Woodside Dedicated by Elder J. P. King.

The third quarterly meeting of the lower district of the Eastern A. C. conference met with the church at Woodside in Pender county last Saturday and Sunday. Several delegates and ministers from Wilmington attended the meeting. The new church at Woodside was dedicated Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, the sermon being preached by Elder J. P. King, of Wilmington. The prayer was made by Elder J. W. S. Harvey.

After the service dinner was served on the grounds which was a royal feast indeed. The visitors are under many obligations to the good people of Pender for the splendid way in which they were so delightfully entertained.

Albany, N. Y., June 2.—In a unanimous decision today the Court of Appeals upheld the action of the Court of Impeachment in removing William Sulzer from office. Counsel for Sulzer announced their intention to take the case to the United States Supreme Court.

—Mr. George A. Wilkinson, of Rocky Mount, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

FEDERAL

INDIANAPOLIS FEDS DROP TO ST. LOUIS.

Three to Two the Score in More or Less Spectacular Game.

St. Louis, June 2.—St. Louis defeated Indianapolis 3 to 2 today. The winning run was made by Boucher on Hartley's sacrifice fly to Kauff. The two runs of the visitors were made in the seventh, when Esmond made a three base hit, scoring Scherer, and Esmond scored after Miller had caught a sacrifice fly.

Indianapolis ....000 000 200—2 6 1
St. Louis .....001 100 01x—3 8 0
Mullin and Rariden; Crandall and Simon.

PITTSBURG AND BUFFALO DIVIDE DOUBLE BILL.

Pirate Federals Took First Easily But Dropped Latter Event.

Pittsburg, June 2.—Pittsburg easily won the first game of a double header from Buffalo today by heavy hitting, but lost the second 3 to 7 because of errors.

Buffalo .....100 001 000—2 5 1
Pittsburg .....000 110 44x—10 10 2
Morgan, Brown and Blair; Dickson and Berry.

Second game:
Buffalo .....011 110 300—7 8 3
Pittsburg .....100 002 000—3 8 5
Moore and Blair; Knetzer, Adams, Henderson and Roberts.

EXTRA BASE CLOUTS WIN FOR BROOKLYN FEDS.

Baltimore Terrapins Still Traveling the Incline.

Brooklyn, June 2.—Brooklyn won from Baltimore today 11 to 5. Brooklyn fell without favoritism upon four visiting pitchers five of the 13 hits being for extr ases.

Baltimore .....100 020 011— 5 8 0
Brooklyn .....113 002 04x—11 18 1
Quinn, Young, Ridgeway, Allen and Jacklitsch; Peters and Owens.

HITS COMBINED WITH ERRORS WIN FOR CHI.

Kansas City Federals Lose to Chicago Six to Three.

Kansas City, June 2.—Chicago bunched hits and aided by local errors defeated Kansas City 6 to 3, today. Cullop held the visitors to one hit up to the sixth. Kenworthy hit a home run in the third for the locals.

Chicago .....000 002 112—6 6 1
Kansas City ....001 010 010—3 6 2
Fisk, Lang and Wilson; Cullop, Henning and Easterly.

LUCKED HIS GAME

Philadelphia Jumped on Mathewson for 25 Hits Yesterday, But Errors by the Daisies Gave the Game Over to the Giants.

STARS * * * * * By Stallings

OH, THIS IS THE LIFE
THIS IS THE LIFE
GOT ME?
GOT' CHER!
HE'S AT HOME WITH THIS STUFF TOO.
SCHANG CAME INTO THE GAME FROM BEHIND A PLOW... AND AS SOON AS THE SEASON ENDS, RIGHT BACK BEHIND IT HE GOES...
WALTER SCHANG
CATCHER PHILADELPHIA AMER.
AND BELIEVE US HE CAN SING RIGHT ALONG WITH ANYBODYS CANARY....
STALLINGS

How They Stand

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chattanooga	25	17	.595
New Orleans	25	20	.556
Mobile	24	21	.533
Atlanta	22	20	.524
Birmingham	22	22	.500
Nashville	22	22	.500
Memphis	18	27	.400
Montgomery	19	29	.396

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Savannah	33	16	.673
Jacksonville	30	19	.612
Charleston	28	20	.583
Columbia	25	25	.500
Albany	21	25	.457
Columbus	17	21	.447
Augusta	20	30	.400
Macon	19	31	.380

VIRGINIA LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Norfolk	27	11	.711
Newport News	24	15	.615
Richmond	21	16	.568
Roanoke	18	22	.450
Petersburg	14	22	.389
Portsmouth	11	29	.275

NORTH CAROLINA LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Charlotte	23	9	.735
Winston-Salem	21	13	.618
Durham	19	13	.594
Raleigh	16	17	.485
Greensboro	11	22	.333
Asheville	8	26	.235

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

North Carolina League.
At Charlotte 6; Greensboro 0.
At Raleigh 4; Asheville 0.
At Winston 1; Durham 7.

Virginia League.
At Portsmouth 0; Roanoke 8.
At Newport News 8; Richmond 6.
At Petersburg 4; Norfolk 0.

Southern League.
At Chattanooga 6; Birmingham 3.
2nd: Chattanooga 6; Birmingham 4.
At Montgomery 3; Atlanta 5; (11 innings.)
At Memphis 1; Mobile 5.
At Nashville 3; New Orleans 2.

South Atlantic League.
At Savannah 4; Macon 0.
At Jacksonville 9; Augusta 3.
At Albany 11; Columbia 0.
At Columbus 5; Charleston 9.

American Association.
At St. Paul 15; Minneapolis 5.
At Columbus 3; Indianapolis 8.
At Louisville 0; Cleveland 2.
Only three games scheduled.

International League.
At Buffalo 7; Toronto 5.
At Rochester 3; Montreal 6.
At Jersey City 5; Baltimore 8.
At Providence 8; Newark 7.

CARDS. BUY MINOR.

Have Purchased Second Baseman Betzel of Columbia Sallys.

Columbia, S. C., June 2.—Albert Betzel, second baseman of the Columbia team of the South Atlantic League has been purchased by the St. Louis National League Club for delivery at the close of the local season, according to announcement made today by President Platt. Betzel played last season with the Bristol, Tenn., Appalachian League club. The purchase price was not stated.

Washington, June 2.—The record of the extradition proceedings for Harry K. Thaw before the Federal district court in New Hampshire today reached the Supreme Court. It is expected an application will be made within a day or two to Justice Holmes for Thaw's release pending a review.

—Mr. Nathan O'Berry, of Goldsboro, was a business visitor in the city yesterday, a guest at the Orton.

A DAILY HOME RUN

PATSY DONOVAN,
Scout, Boston Red Sox.

Patsey Donovan, former manager and now scout of the Boston Americans, tells about some "ivory hunting" he did down South last summer.

Pat heard there were several good players in the Appalachian league, so he landed in one of the towns of that circuit to investigate. In order to get some first-hand evidence, Pat interviewed the man who was reported to be the town's leading fan.

Posing as a traveling salesman, Pat introduced himself to the oracle. That party was glad to meet him; he was always glad to meet city chaps with whom he could talk inside baseball.

"You know the game pretty well I take it" remarked Pat.

"Sure, I know it," agreed the Last Word. "I've seen a lot of baseball, a lot of it."

"You have seen some big teams in action, I presume?" continued Pat.

"I have. I went to Charlie Comiskey's South Side park in Chicago every day for years, and I saw every player in the American league who amounted to anything during that time. Yes, sir stranger, I've seen 'em all, I have."

"Well, you appear to be a good judge of ball players. Tell me how, in your opinion, these players down here look—pretty good aren't they?"

"Mister," said the Oracle softly, "if you want to see a ball game go out and see them. I don't want to spoil your fun, and also I ain't much on knocking home talent, but if you're askin' me for my honest opinion, stranger, I'll tell you that Charlie Comiskey wouldn't let these guys into his bleachers."

Donovan packed his suit case and took the next train out of town. He didn't even look at a player.

DAWSON'S CONDITION SERIOUS.

Indianoplis, June 2.—Joe Dawson, who was injured when his car was wrecked during the 500 mile race at the speedway last Saturday, still is in a serious condition as a result of internal injuries. Hospital physcians today said Dawson has a fighting chance to recover.

WILSON P. O. FIGHT SETTLED

Senate Confirms Smith's Nomination. John Early Appears Again. Simmons, LL. D.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., June 2.—The last word was written in the Wilson postoffice fight when the Senate in executive session today confirmed the nomination of S. W. Smith to be postmaster of Wilson. Democrats who were opposed to Smith's appointment fought his nomination. They claimed, for the most part, that Smith would not serve the government but a short time if appointed, and contended that a man should be named who would not farm the job out.

Smith, on the other hand, told the Postoffice Department that he was a candidate for the office in good faith and after several months delay his nomination was sent in.

John Early Again.

John Early, the leper, has again appeared in Washington. Early was confined in an isolated house on the east branch of the Potomac in 1908 and for some time afterwards. He formerly lived in North Carolina. He has maintained that he did not have leprosy, but that his disease was caused by coming in contact with acids used in a mill in his native State. The Health Department again placed Early in the little house on the Potomac and he will be guarded day and night.

Simmons to be An LL. D.

It is understood that the University of North Carolina will tomorrow confer the degree of LL. D., upon Senator Simmons. The senior Senator was asked about the matter tonight, and he stated that he preferred that any information with reference to the rumor should come from the University.

Senator Simmons, however, cannot be at the Hill this week. He has entire charge of the tolls fight. That particular measure is now at its most critical stage and Mr. Simmons does not believe it would be wise for him to leave Washington at present. President Wilson has asked Mr. Simmons to put the measure through and he intends to do so. A vote may be had before the end of this week.

For State Convention.

Practically all of the State delegation, including Senator Overman, will leave here tomorrow for the State convention at Raleigh. Senator Simmons cannot leave and it is not expected that Representative Webb will be able to attend. Just now these two statesmen have most important duties to perform. P. R. A.

Santo Anita Track To Be Demolished

"LUCKY" BALDWIN'S FAMOUS TRACK WILL SOON BE A THING OF THE PAST.

San Francisco, June 2.—The famous Santa Anita race track near Los Angeles, long a monument to the turf activities of the late E. J. ("Lucky") Baldwin soon will be dismantled. Mrs. Anita Baldwin McClaughrey, daughter of the noted turf man announced last night that she had acquired control of a majority of the stock of the Los Angeles Racing Association, and that it was her intention to re-place the track with a modern club house, polo ground and golf links.

It was on the Santa Anita track, adjoining the Santa Anita ranch, of which Mrs. Claughrey is owner, that Baldwin passed his declining years in efforts to produce the best racing thoroughbreds in the world. Of the string that wore his colors, on every track in the country, a number still live and are splendidly cared for at Santa Anita. They are Rey El Santa Anita, Cruzados, Santa Anita Star, Noretta, Son of Emperor of Norfolk, and Reina De Los Angeles.

Among others of Baldwin's stables were Molly McCarty, on whom Baldwin in one race is said to have won $63,000; Silver Cloud, Volante, Grimstead and other victors through whom Baldwin is reputed to have won more than $1,000,000.

Mary Pickford is the talk of the town. The Grand Theatre was just packed all day and night yesterday and turned many away unable to gain admission, but don't worry, your chance is today—she is in the greatest picture ever produced, "TESS OF THE STORM COUNTRY," from 11 A. M. to 11 P. M. You cannot afford to miss it. (advertisement.)

AGED WOMAN KILLED BY A.C.L. TRAIN AT WARSAW

Mrs. Sallie Bradshaw, of Magnolia, Struck by Engine

Was Waiting for No. 41, View of Which Was Obstructed by Box Car—Died Within an Hour—Breakeman Loses Foot.

(Special Star Correspondence)

Warsaw, N. C., June 2.—Mrs. Sallie Bradshaw, of Magnolia, between 60 and 70 years of age, was struck by Atlantic Coast Line passenger train No. 41 here this morning and died within an hour, as the result of her injuries.

She was waiting for No. 41 on which she was to go home. She was at the station platform and a box car obstructed her view of the approaching train, when she stepped upon the track.

The train had struck her possibly, before she knew it was near and before any one in the large crowd awaiting the train could reach her.

No. 41 is the through train from the North d ue at Wilmington at 10 o'clock.

The body of Mrs. Bradshaw was taken to her home at Magnolia on the afternoon train.

Dudley McCullop, colored brakeman on the Atlantic Coast Line, was so badly hurt here today that his left foot had to be amputated. He was helping the train crew to do the shifting in the yard, and for some reason two cars failed to nouple when they were tried and McCullop, thinking to jar the coupling so that it would catch, used his foot. The engine was pushing the foremost car back at the time, and he caught his foot in the coupling, and the engine jammed the two couplings together, catching his foot between them. He was taken to the relief hospital at Rocky Mount where his foot was amputated.

WAS BODY SERVANT OF GEN. ROBERT E. LEE

Venerable Colored Preacher Visits Kinston

(Special Star Correspondence)

Kinston, N. C., June 2.—An interesting visitor here is William McBee, a typical old before-the-war negro. McBee, white-haired and exceedingly polite, was a body servant of Gen. R. E. Lee during the war between the States. He has for 48 years been a preacher and was educated for the ministry by means of $400 willed to him by his distinguished master. William McBee carried dispatches at the battle of the Wilderness and in other engagements. His credentials are signed by more than 50 Virginia ministers. He is very old and was 28 years of age when in the service of the Confederate chieftain. Sunday night the venerable darkey preacher was allowed to take a collection for his church in Queen Street Methodist church here. The white congregation listened attentively to the old man's plea and contributed liberally subsequently. The church of which he is the pastor is located in Gates county N. C., cost more than $5,000 and was built mainly through his efforts. McBee is now raising a $500 debt on the building.

OF STATE TRUST COMPANY.

Echo Heard in Court at Tarboro This Week.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Tarboro, N. C., June 2.—As an echo of the defunct State Trust Company of Wilmington, which proved a wild cat banking scheme, the affairs of the Macclesfield Bank, one of the chain, are being thrashed out before Judge W. M. Bond in Superior court here.

The case before the court is that of the S. F. Bond Safe & Lock Co., for the purchase price of two safes delivered to the Macclesfield bank, of which Mr. Geo. A. Holderness is receiver. Judge Bragaw, of Washington, is representing the plaintiff and Mr. H. A. Gilliam the receiver.

ANOTHER PRIMARY TO BE HELD IN TENTH

Convention Adjourns After 4 Days Deadlock.

If No Candidate Receives Majority on August 15, a Third Primary Will be Held August 29.—Gudger and Reynolds.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Waynesville, N. C., June 2.—Candidates for the Democratic nomination for Congress from the Tenth district must again submit their claims to the people direct. This was decided at the Tenth district convention here today, after 471 ballots had failed to secure a choice by the Democrats of the district. Closing hours at the convention found the candidates holding the same relative strength as at the opening of the convention Friday.

Late this afternoon, when it was found impossible to break the deadlock, which has held the convention in its grasp since the opening day, leaders of different factions began to cast about for some means to bring the convention to an end. Resolutions favoring a second primary were introduced, and finally, after considerable discussion, a committee composed of one delegate from each county was appointed to draft suitable resolutions and present them to the convention.

Chairman Adams appointed a committee, and after some deliberation, the committee reported a set of resolutions, providing for a second primary August 15th. At this primary, any candidate securing a majority will automatically become the nominee, without another convention. In the event that no candidate has a majority of the votes cast, a third primary would be held August 29th, in which only the two leaders will participate.

The first primary may resolve itself into a test of strength between Gudger and Reynolds, as the other three candidates are believed to concede that they have no chance in a general primary before the people. Reynolds' forces are jubilant tonight, declaring that Reynolds will sweep the district on another primary. Gudger partisans profess equal confidence, and declare their candidate will win.

After the convention adjourned tonight, a special train conveyed most of the delegates to Asheville. Officers and voting places in the primary will be selected as soon as the Congressional committee can arrange to meet.

FISH PONDS ON FARMS COMMON AS BARNYARDS

Fish Production to Reduce Cost of Living in Lenior

(Special Star Correspondence)

Kinston, N. C., June 2.—Fish pons may becomee as common on farms in this section as barnyards before many years. To reduce the cost of living, one or two who have experimented with ponds say, fish production is an efficient means. Small artificial lakes will be built by several farmers, it is said. Experiments at government hatcheries have proved that several species breed more prolifically and successwully in ponds than in larger streams.

A mile or two from Kinston is a small stream on a private place which, dammed at the sloping end, is literally alive with chub and other fish. Enthusiasts say that the speckled perch, German carp, and goldfish and minnows for bait, can be raised without trouble in an artificial pond of very small dimensions. Brick is suggested for a bottom, with a liberal covering of mud over it, and a few pebbles and a little sand in one end.

If you don't believe that Mary Pickford is the most popular actress before the screen just try to get in the Grand today. She is there in the most wonderful picture ever before shown—"Tess of the Storm Country."
(advertisement.)

TRUE BILL FOR MURDER

Returned Against L. C. Scott and J. M. Sanders in Connection With Death of N. C. Babson.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Newbern, N. C., June 2.—A sensation was created here today when the grand jury at the present term of Craven county Superior court returned a true bill for murder against L. C. Scott, son of Alderman S. S. H. Scott, and J. M. Sanders.

Several weeks ago N. C. Babson, an employe of the Norfolk Southern Railway Company, was killed on their local yards when a train in charge of Conductor J. M. Sanders, shoved a freight car against a car on which Babson was working. The coroner had an inquest and from the evidence given at the time, the blame was placed on Sanders. He was carried before Magistrate Walter Fulford and, after waiving an examination, was held for court.

Scott had not been prominently mentioned in the case and on this account, the surprise at the action of the grand jury is intensified. The case will be called some time tomorrow, and much interest is being manifested in the outcome.

Charters Issued

Raleigh, N. C., June 2.—The Southside Lumber Co., of Southside, Broadbay township, Forsyth county, was chartered today with $50,000 capital authorized and $8,500 subscribed by S. L. Spach, Wachovia Loan & Trust Co., trustee, and others.

Another charter is for the Beam Printery, (Inc.) Gastonia, capital $5,000 authorized and $400 subscribed by W. D. Beam and others for general printing business.

TARBORO COTTON MILL SOLD TO HIGHEST BIDDER

Robert New of New York Purchaser at $150,000

(Special Star Correspondence)

Rocky Mount, N. C., June 2.—Under the order of the court there was sold yesterday to the highest bidder the plant and property of the Tarboro Cotton Mill. The purchase price was $150,000 and the purchaser was Mr. Robert New, of New York. The plant at this price is free from incumbrances with the exception of the taxes which at $11,000 will make the total cost of the plant $161,000. At this figure, with the discharge of the obligations of the plant, there will be little or nothing left for the stockholders.

It is persistently rumored, following the purchase that the mill was bought for the Bridgers interest and that Mr. Henry Clark Bridgers, who is one of the heavier stockholders, will take over the property at this figure. The fact could not be sustained, however, and outside of the rumor there is little or nothing else that can be learned at this time.

OLD DOMINION TENNIS TOURNAMENT BEING PLAYED

Yesterday's Play at Richmond Uninteresting Except for One Set.

Richmond, Va., June 2.—T. R. Pell, of New York, was an easy winner in today's Old Dominion Tennis Tournament, played on the courts of the Country Club of Virginia. C. H. X. Beard, of East Orange, N. J., was his victim, being defeated by the score of 6-2, 6-3. Pell gave a magnificent display of talent at the net which soon wore his opponent down. His well-aimed shots frequently drew applause.

Nothing sensational marked today's play, there being no upsets and but one match of more than ordinary interest, the Pell-Beard contest.

Merry Pickford will be at the Grand today from 11 A. M. to 11 P. M. in "Tess of the Storm Country," the management found it impossible to accommodate all those who were anxious to gain admission yesterday.
(advertisement.)

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NEW TRAIN TO AUGUSTA AND ATLANTA

Commencing May 3rd, the Atlantic Coast Line will inaugurate through sleeping car service between Wilmington and Atlanta, via Florence, Sumter and Augusta, in connection the Georgia Railroad.

Following are the schedules:

Lv. Wilmington	3:45 P. M.
Ar. Florence	7:30 P. M.
Lv. Florence	8:00 P. M.
Lv Sumter	9:30 P. M.
Ar. Orangeburg	10:53 P. M.
Ar. Augusta	1:40 A. M.
Ar. Atlanta	6:00 A. M.

Passengers may remain in the sleeping cars at Atlanta until 7:00 A. M., if they so desire. Returning, the train leaves Atlanta at 8:00 P. M., central time, and arrives Wilmington 1:15 P. M., Eastern time.

Connections are made in the Union Depot at Atlanta with the "Dixie Flyer," (leaving there at 8:00 A. M.) which is a solid train for Chicago, carrying sleeping, dining and observation cars; also through sleeping cars to St. Louis; and with the "South Atlantic Limited," (leaving at 7:12 A. M.) a solid train to Cincinnati carrying sleeing and dining cars; also through sleeping cars to Louisville and Indianapolis.

Connections are also made at Atlanta with the Atlanta and West Point Railroad for Montgomery, Mobile, New Orleans and the Southwest; with the Southern Railway for Birmingham, Memphis and the West and with other diverging lines for points in South Georgia, etc.

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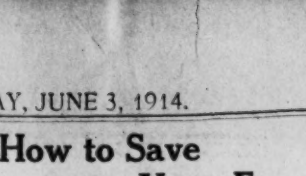
(advertisement.)

Mothers Tell of Mother's Friend



Experience is or should be our best teacher. Women who have obeyed the highest and noblest of all sacrifices, the struggle for the life of others, should have a better idea of helpful influence than those who theorize from observation.

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No. 51. 5:25 A.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. **Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.**	No. 50. 12:45 A.M.
No. 64. ! 5:50 A.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65. ! 6:15 P.M.
No. 48. * 8:30 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. **Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman Service.**	No. 40. * 6:05 P.M.
No. 53. * 8:45 A.M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford, commencing June 15. **Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Greensboro.**	No. 52. * 8:05 P.M.
No. 55. * 3:45 P.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah, **All Florida Points,** Columbia, Asheville and the West. **Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta and between Florence and Columbia.**	No. 54. *12:50 P.M.
No. 62. * 3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 63. *12:50 P.M.
No. 59. * 6:30 P.M.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60. *10:15 A.M.
No. 42. * 6:45 P.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond Norfolk, Washington and New York. **Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars, between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.**	No. 41. *10:00 A.M.
No. 57. * 6:20 P.M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Conway and Intermediate stations.	No. 58. * 9:55 A.M.
No. 68. b7:30 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 69. b*10:15 A.M.

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IN EFFECT APRIL 25, 1914.

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—EASTBOUND— Leave Front and Princess for Winter Park	Leave Front and Princess for Wrightsville	Leave Front and Princess for Beach	—WESTBOUND— Leave Winter Park for Wilmington	Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington	Leave Beach for Wilmington
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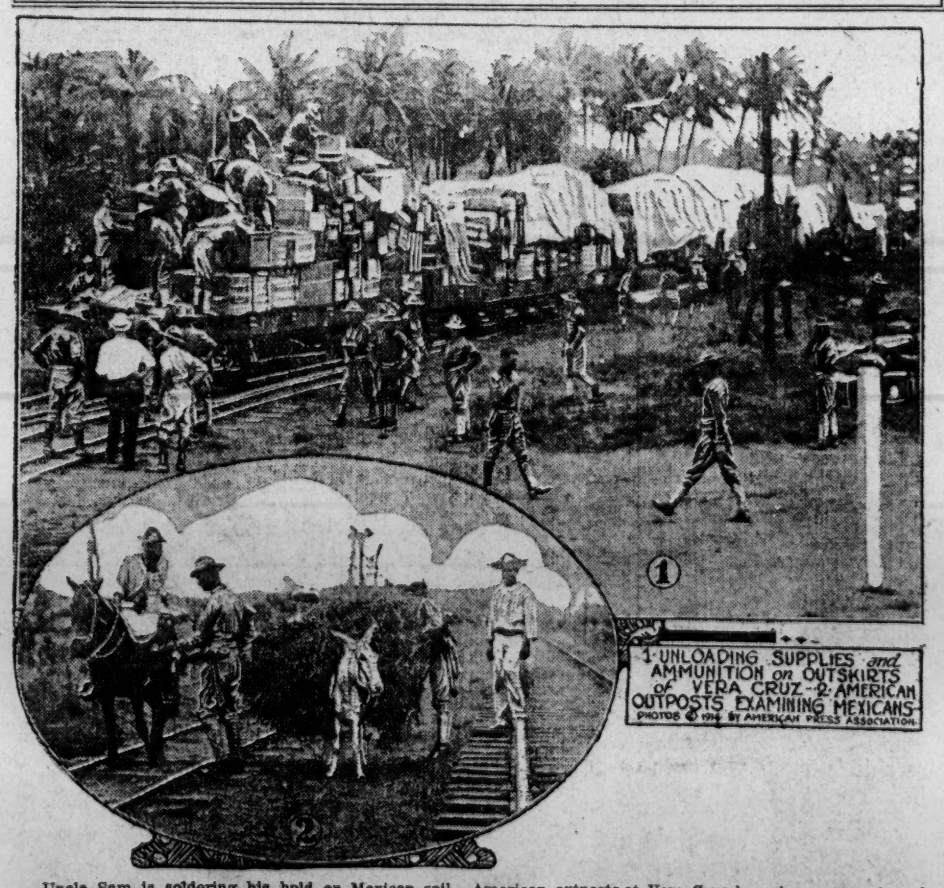
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1-UNLOADING SUPPLIES and AMMUNITION on OUTSKIRTS of VERA CRUZ-2-AMERICAN OUTPOSTS EXAMINING MEXICANS
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(Wednesday, June 3rd 1914.)

A man should do things for himself but refrain from doing things to other men.

A number of June weddings are down on the programme, and twenty-seven days yet remain for agreeing on a date.

It is stated that Mr. Comden, the new United States Senator just appointed from Kentucky, is worth $20,000,000.

Wisconsin has a law providing punishment for gossipers. If it is enforced, talk will cease to be cheap in the wagging tongue circles of that State.

People say they go off on a Summer vacation so they can get a change. Most of us would do the same thing if we could get enough change to pay the expense.

"Thomas Edison obeys his wife," says a newspaper headline. It is presumed that he does it because he loves to be good, or because it saves him a whole lot of trouble.

General Carranza explains that he recently executed 32 Federal officers so they would not cause him any more trouble. Evidently Carranza is getting tired having trouble with the same fellows just as often as they are turned loose.

After gaining considerable fame during the recent disturbances in Colorado, Mother Jones said: "I have no vote, but I've raised hell all over this country." Mother Jones is like others who take satisfaction in doing things that make a stir.

Says the Jacksonville Times-Union: "Mellen says he insisted on having a witness to prevent an issue of veracity between himself and Roosevelt. Here is a friend who admits judgment." How did he know that the witness would not tell as many lies as anybody else?

We notice now and then an article on "the origin of the Ben Davis apple." The Ben Davis apple is a beauty, and it is said in its favor that "it can be shipped a long distance." Owing to that fact, all Ben Davis apples ought to be shipped to Huerta for spite.

Says the Chicago News: "Honestly, now, is it not pretty rotten that some aldermen insist on forcing their henchmen into the pay of the public service corporations?" Of course, it's rotten, but it is about the only way any alderman has to get a bunch of henchmen to stick to him.

When Colonel Roosevelt was President he wrote a number of letters to Uncle Joe Cannon. Uncle Joe never burns letters like those he got from the Colonel, and he says if the Colonel proposes to make trouble for him he will publish those letters and let them make trouble for the Colonel.

When Democrats stick together they get what is coming to them. In Democratic union there is more strength than in fusion between the Republican and Progressive parties. A large number of men do not believe in fusing and thereby surrendering principle just to let the politicians win.

Much fun has been had for centuries at the expense of the man who tried to lift himself over the fence by the straps of his boots. He got it into his head that it could be done and that he was the very man to prove it. Most of the fun we have now is at the expense of men who actually believe they can set the world afire by their hot air.

It is astonishing that millions of people can be led off by a lot of the cheap clap trap of the times, but it was predicted in the Bible that the time would come when people would believe all sorts of things. For instance, II Timothy, IV. 3 and 4: "For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrines and they shall turn away their ears from the truth, and shall be turned to fables." That time seems to be here.

THE VILLA OF AMERICAN POLITICS.

Far out to sea and almost on the other side of the Atlantic, Colonel Roosevelt is on a ship, bound for Spain to attend his son's wedding. On the eve of his departure from New York, Teddy left a statement behind for publication after his departure for Europe. His statement was a parting kick—an assault on the Wilson administration.

The Colonel, just as was expected, criticised the Democratic administration, because that is all that can be expected of the opposition, but knockers also get knocked. It is so in Roosevelt's case, for his criticisms went against the grain among Democratic leaders in Washington. They generally agreed that the Rough Rider is going to make "his usual appeal to the dissatisfied element of the parties in this country."

Of course he is. No politician could expect to win over a man who is satisfied. A fellow has to have a grouch and have his nose out of joint if he is good timber to be worked up by the opposition. Democratic leaders seem to have been surprised at the weakness and smallness of Teddy's attack. Representative Rainey, of Illinois, swatted Teddy right and left and declared that his message to the country smacked more of the tactics of a "leader of a mob" than of the leader of a party.

Mr. Rainey, who is a Democratic member of the ways and means committee of the House, referred to Roosevelt's assertion that the Democratic tariff is responsible for the business depression of the country. "Mr. Roosevelt," he said, "has been in Brazil so long that he evidently does not know that there is a world-wide depression in business, which proceeds from causes which have no good explanation. There is no more poverty in this country than there ever was. We are taking steps to regulate the trusts, and we are going to succeed, which was something more than Mr. Roosevelt was able to accomplish when he was given the opportunity."

Teddy, practically speaking, had eight years in which to do it, but he didn't, and Mr. Rainey clinched a fact when he said "Roosevelt has no constructive ideas." Indeed, during his last and own term, a disastrous panic swept over the country in 1907. Even were things going wrong, the country could not expect anything from a man who tried two terms and wound up his career in the White House with the worst panic the country ever experienced. Mr. Rainey declares that there is nothing in the Roosevelt propaganda. It appeals to the spirit of discontent, and his attempt is to increase the number of discontented. The Roosevelt propaganda appeals to the man with a grouch, and furthermore, the Illinois Congressman says, Roosevelt is "the Villa of American politics," and that "had he lived in Mexico his career would be much like that of the Mexican rebel."

The Republicans kept mum on Roosevelt's attack on the tariff and other Democratic legislation, for they may find themselves following his lead. He made a clean bid for Republican support when he declared, in concluding his statement, that "I believe all right-minded people ought to act together without regard to party differences." He is now planning for fusion.

When Roosevelt returns he will go into the New York campaign and promises to do his hardest work. He can be depended upon to work hard all the time, for he has begun another campaign for the Presidency, although it is a hopeless fight that he is to make. He will have to win the Republican party first, and when he does that he will have to beat the militant Democracy.

THE PARTY WITH THE RIGHT CODE.

"Equal rights for all, special privileges for none." That covers so-called social justice, and it embodies the manly idea that every man's rights are equal to those of any other man, whether he is rich or poor. A man who believes that all men should have the same rights and that none should be given privileges that all haven't got, is a Democrat. A man who insists on special privileges, under which other men are taxed for his benefit, is not a Democrat. It is all the average man can do to shift for himself without doing more or less shifting for the fellow with a special privilege.

A true Democrat believes that every tub should stand on its own bottom and that no man is entitled to anything except by the sweat of his own brow, as the result of his own genius and in accordance with his individual ability to seize his opportuntes without being granted privileges at the expense of the masses. No man has the right to expect to get his by the sweat of the brow of the toiling masses, and any party which stands for that kind of favoritism ought to be batted out of the box.

We heartily enjoy the distress and despair of any party which considers it a principle to make a few rich at the expense of the many. All the riches piled into the hands of the few will make ultimate serfdom for the masses, and for that reason a man who wants as good a showing as any other man ought to be a Democrat and stick to the party whose principles can never be any better disguised in catch phrases that never can embody the broad doctrine, "Equal rights for all, special privileges for none."

The G. O. P. remnant of the Republican party, according to State Chairman Morehead, wants to get new life into it under the mistaken idea that the people want to restore to power a party which is still committed to the idea that the people love to be taxed for the enrichment of the few. We have noticed that the result of protection brings about that condition. It's a fine thing for plutocrats, nabobs and the insolent devotees of privilege, and it is pretty safe to say that the people of North Carolina will do their part to keep the G. O. P. right at the top of the junk heap. It looks good there, and the people ought to see that it shall never crawl down and get busy any more.

BIG CITIES NO LONGER DEADLY.

People used to be afraid to move to the cities because of the fact that health conditions in none of them were inviting. The larger the city the greater was the danger, but intelligent health management and scientific engineering has made the large cities the best places in which to live with the greatest safety.

In the Independent, Prof. William B. Bailey, of Yale, presents an interesting comparison of the mortality rates in the great world cities as they were in 1881-85 and as they were again in 1910. It appears that in no city of a million or more people, save in Moscow, has the decrease in the death rate been less than 20 per cent. New York's death rate dropped from 27.5 to 16; Chicago's from 21.5 to 15.1; Philadelphia's from 22.3 to 16.8.

Even in our own city of Wilmington there has been a marvelous improvement in health conditions in three years, the death rate having dropped from 29.42 to 19 while there has been a great decrease in mortality from preventable diseases and infant mortality. It seems that malaria is being steadily driven from the city, and certainly the health improvement here year after year will be the best boost the city can get.

A POINT OVERLOOKED.

The Fayetteville Observer doubts the wisdom of the movement launched by Dr. J. A. Macdonald, of Toronto, to change the name of the Southern Presbyterian College at Red Springs, to "Flora McDonald College." It says the "Southern Presbyterian College at Red Springs" has made good; it is one of the leading colleges for young women in the South, and to change the name whereby it has achieved success, for an endowment, would be a mistake. The Observer seems to overlook the fact that for many years, probably for the major portion of its existence, its name was "Red Springs Seminary." Under that name the foundations of its present great usefulness and success were laid. Moreover, the former change of name does not seem to have been a mistake. However, the fact that the name of the institution has been changed once may be used as argument either for or against another change.

FOREIGN TRADE AND THE TARIFF

The New York Journal of Commerce remarks editorially upon our foreign trade, as it may or may not be affected up to this time by the Democratic tariff, in view of the fact that the opponents of tariff revision are endeavoring to make much of the changes in the country's exports and imports since the new tariff went into operation at the beginning of October.

Of course, the new tariff has had some effect in that connection, else what was it intended to do? However, the Journal of Commerce says we have only six months of the new tariff operations to judge by, and that it is not a fair test, although the actual statistics show that the tariff changes have been so inconsequential that opponents of the administration have not got much to go upon.

CURRENT COMMENT.

There is an irrefutable argument in favor of State-wide primaries now being presented at Waynesville.—Asheville Citizen.

Why should Senor Escobar, Consul General of Colombia at New York, remind Col. Roosevelt that a previous Administration approached Colombia with an offer of many millions indemnifying it for the loss of Panama? Just at this moment the Colonel is not interested in assailing Mr. Taft and the Republican party.—New York World.

Our visit to Rose Hill was pleasant as well as instructive. The Rose Hill truckers have just harvested one of the best sold crops of strawberries in the history of that industry. The shipping this year lasted only about four weeks but the fruit was good and the prices all that could be desired. Fifteen car loads was the biggest shipment for one day. Mr. Hatcher sold sixteen hundred dollars worth of berries off of four acres. Mr. Fussell sold two hundred and fifty dollars worth off of 1-4 acre. The season would average above three dollars per crate. —Duplin Enterprise

The statement of Theodore Roosevelt issued Wednesday on the coal strike situation is amazing in its significance. He declared that in 1902 he was prepared to send Federal troops into the anthractie coal section of Pennsylvania to seize the coal fields and operate the mines. In fact, he says instructions were actually issued to Gen. Schofield that he was "To pay no attention to any court orders or any other authority than me." The same man who bragged that "I took the canal and let congress debate afterwards," was, then, prepared to ignore the courts and actually had orders out that "I only am in authority."—Charlotte News.

The Wilmington Star discusses at much length a recent editorial from The Journal, in which we called upon ex-Governor Robert B. Glenn to submit proof of his assertion that $500,000 had been raised in Richmond and Virginia for the purpose of defeating Statewide prohibition, and that $5,000,000 had been raised in the country for the purpose of abolishing prohibition in the States of the South which have adopted it. Our North Carolina contemporary draws entirely proper deductions from the charge made by Mr. Glenn. Of course, no serious-minded man believes for a moment that the business men of Richmond are the kind who are willing to sell their principles for money. This is no more true of the business men of Richmond than of the business men of other cities of the South. The great trouble with a reformer of the type of Mr. Glenn is that he cannot conceive of an honest man differing with him. Those who do are damned. The Star is mistaken in saying that The Journal has indicted Mr. Glenn. We simply have asserted that he has indicted himself, unless, indeed, he should be able to prove what he asserts. We believe it is not his habit to do this, but unless he makes an exception in this particular case not only will he be indicted, but will stand convicted.—Richmond Journal.

SEX EDUCATION

I have just gone through a mass of literature gathered from the various sources in regard to the appalling prevalence of immorality in our day. This social perversion caused the downfall of several great nations of the ancient world; and our own nation must in time yield to a similar fate unless the evil is checked.

We are a people who think, however, and the earnest attention given to the subject of social diseases and moral irregularities by leading medical and educational men will result in the people understanding the true state of affairs and avoiding the otherwise inevitable national decline.

It is beginning to be recognized that one of the most necessary things for a boy or a girl to know is something about the sacred functions of the reproductive nature, and that silence and an overmastering reticence on the part of parents and others is cruel and productive of great harm.

We see much in magazines and books nowadays about the new science of eugenics, which studies the improvement of the race, and takes notice of the evident physical and mental decline of the race in recent past generations. And such a study is highly important and pressing if we realize the exten of the prevalence of diseases growing out of immorality. These are now being called, comprehensively, the "Great Black Plague."

Physicians say that 75 per cent. of the young men in some of our large cities are thus diseased; and will carry the curse all through their own lives, involving others also, and, then, often leaving the blight as a cruel heritage to their offspring. A great doctor in New York has published an article on infant mortality, and lays the blame for a large part of the numerous deaths of babies from many apparent and immediate causes to the "Great Black Plague". In other ways, homes are invaded with the curse, and much suffering and sadness entailed.

Pamphlets put out by Dr. Kelly and Dr. Pollock, of Baltimore, Dr. Morrow, of New York, and others give a most appalling state of affairs regarding the widespread and baleful prevalence of these diseases and their long train of suffering and unhappiness in many ways. It is, therefore, a great evil which must be recognized and combatted.

The moral effects of immorality every right thinking person knows, but the sin is so covered by an instinctive desire to hide it that it is generally hard to deal with it. But here is a physical state of affairs that medical men say is real and can not be hidden; and they appeal to the people to be rid of the terrible social disease.

There is but one way to do this, and that is for parents to make a study of the subject and see that their children are informed as to their sex nature. There are numerous books which will enable them to approach the subject by degrees suited to the child's age. It does no violence to a child's modesty to know things it has a right to know about the sacred functions of the human body and the proper safeguarding of his moral strength. The subject is also being taught in the schools, wisely and by degrees carefully arranged; but such instruction requires the most judicious care, and with separation of the sexes.

For the use of parents wishing to inform their young children on this delicate subject, there is an excellent book published by the Uplift Publishing Company, Philadelphia, entitled "Yourself and Your House Beautiful", by H. A. Guerber. And I have seen a commendatory notice of a little book, for use of parents and teachers, entitled "Sex Education", by Ira S. Wile, M. S., M. D., and published by Duffield & Company, New York. There are many other books on the subject.

I write this article from a sense of duty. The subject must be brought to the attention of the people, and the people will do something for the protection of the coming generation when they realize the enormity of the moral, spiritual and physical effects of the evident wide-spread loose conception of the value of personal purity. It is stated by those who have the means of knowing the facts that a great majority of the young men arriving at the age of citizenship in the United States are contaminated, not only by impurity of life, but also by some form of the "Great Black Plague". Many ills of married life necessarily follow. And, if we accept the published reports of vice commissions of various cities of the country as giving even an exaggerated account of conditions existing in smaller cities and towns, the lives of a large number of girls exhibit a distressingly low conception of morality.

This article is only suggestive of the many phases of the moral situation of our day. The relief can come, not from giving much attention to those already contaminated, but from the proper sex education of children and growing boys and girls. Social offenses are due to ignorance, almost entirely.

And then we must look forward to the time, as suggested by our best and most thoughtful doctors and teachers of eugenics, when a certificate of sound physical condition will be a necessary prerequisite for marriage, so that children may be born with a good chance, first to live and then to develop into vigorous men and women, with a good clean heritage as a foundation for useful lives.

—ANDREW J. HOWELL

Wilmington, N. C.,

—An article signed "An Experienced Fisherman" is not published, if for no other reason than that it is not signed by the writer, the name not being for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.

A Week of Special Bargains

SHOES, DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, MUSLIN UNDERWEAR AND HATS.

The warm weather makes one feel the dire need of comfortable wearing apparel. Realizing this, and to give our patrons an opportunity to buy goods that are needed now at greatly reduced prices, we will have a sale of OXFORDS, SUMMER DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, MUSLIN UNDERWEAR AND HATS—THIS WILL BE AN EXTRAORDINARY MONEY-SAVING EVENT. An Opportunity you should not let pass. Remember, these prices hold good only for a few days, and these are only a few of the many Bargains.

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$1.00 yard-wide Messaline Silks; Week-End Sale 59c
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50c 72x90 Sheets; Week-End Sale ... 35c
19c Fancy Crepe Poplin; Week-End Sale ... 10c
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10 yards 8c Bleaching, for ... 59c
10 yards Poe Mills Bleaching, for ... 85c
10 yards of yard-wide 8c Unbleached Homespun, for ... 59c
10 yards of yard-wide 6c Unbleaching ... 49c

MONDAY, 10 to 10:30—Special Half-Hour Sale, 10c Blue Chambray (limit 6 yards), at ... 5c

MOST EXTRAORDINARY SHOE SALE

And just at the time when every one wants to buy Slippers and Oxfords. Note Specials for Monday.

$6.00 Bannister Oxfords, $4.00 Excelsior, $4.00 Crawfords. A big range Patent Leather, Gun Metal and Tan; Monday only ... $2.00
Infants' $1.00 Patent and Tan one-strap Pumps and Ties; sizes 2 to 5; Special price ... 50c
Misses' $1.00 and $1.50 Patent and Tan Oxfords and one-strap Pumps; sizes 12 to 2; wonderful values; Monday's price ... 50c
Ladies' Oxfords; Patent Leather, Vici and Tan; splendid values; regular $3 to $4 Slippers; this sale ... $1.50

MONDAY, 4 to 4:30—Special Half-Hour Sale, 6c White Curtain Scrim (limit 10 yards), at ... 3 1-2c

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Sizes from 2s to 4s
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We are now prepared to make prompt deliveries of
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COMMITTEE OF 25 TO MEET TODAY AT NOON

No Outward Developments in Health Budget Matter.

Personnel of Committee Announced Yesterday by Chairman Stacy. Council Will Probably be Asked for Hearing.

Pending a meeting today at noon of the committee of 25 appointed by W. P. Stacy, Esq., chairman of the citizens' mass meeting held in the court house Monday night, outward developments in the health budget matter yesterday were at a standstill, though the subject continued the chief topic of interest and was freely discussed in street corner gatherings, and in the homes all over the city.

The committee of 25 was announced yesterday by Chairman Stacy. Mr. J. Allan Taylor is named as chairman of the committee and he has issued a call for a meeting of the committee to be held in the rooms of the chamber of commerce today at noon, at which time the committee will map out its work and decide on its method of procedure. It is stated that the committee, after a discussion of the matter, will ask for an immediate hearing before City Council. Mr. Taylor requests that all members of the committee waive formal notice from him of the meeting to be held today at noon, and accept the press notice in lieu thereof, as sufficient time does not remain for him to notify each member of the committee personally.

The committee, as announced yesterday by Chairman Stacy, is composed as follows: J. Allan Taylor, chairman; J. G. McCormick, Herbert McClammy, A. K. Shepard, Dr. C. P. Bolles, M. W. Jacobi, W. H. Blair, B. C. Moore R. E. Smith, S. A. Matthews, John H. Niggel, Jr., Geo. O. Gaylord, Joseph H. Watters, Dr. P. P. Causey, J. A. McNorton, L. D. Latta, M. F. H. Gouverneur, C. H. Huband, W. M. Cumming, Dr. B. J. Willingham, C. C. Covington, D. J. Fergus, L. T. Moore, J. O. Carr and Graham Kenan.

In announcing the committee Mr. Stacy issued the following statement:

"The above citizens have been selected from the county at large, and without consultation with any of them. They are asked to render this public service in the interests of the common good and are assured of the unstinted support of their fellow citizens, as expressed by them in mass meeting assembled.

"W. P. STACY, Chairman."

Reports were current on the streets yesterday afternoon that Councilmen B. A. Merritt, T. W. Wood, and W. F. Jones, the three members who voted in favor of the reduced health budget, would hold a conference some time during the afternoon, to consider the matter in the light of the developments that have followed their action in cutting down the appropriation.

However, it was stated by Mr. Merritt last night that no conference had been held, and that the matter had not been taken up formally by the three members who voted for the reduced budget. Mr. Merritt stated that they had discussed the matter among themselves since the mass meeting, but said that he had no statement of any kind to make just yet.

Friends of the three Councilmen were of the opinion yesterday, however, that in view of the unanimous support of the health work in the county, as expressed by so many citizens since Council reduced the budget, and the lack of any public expression to the contrary from citizens, the matter would be adjusted satisfactorily, and the full amount asked for by the Board of Health would soon be available.

METEOR LAST NIGHT.

Flaming Visitant Construed as "A Sign"—Passed Over City.

Many Wilmingtonians on the streets or in the open last night about 8:15 o'clock observed a brilliant meteor pass over the city, coming from the southeast and disappearing in the northwest. It appeared to some as a ball of blue fire, about as large as a man's head, with a tail of flame from three to six feet long, and was traveling at a rather slow speed apparently. Some were confident that it dropped into the marshes just across the river, while others declared that it must have continued on into South Carolina.

"But it was some sight," declared one enthusiastic spectator. "I tell you it had Halley's comet skinned a mile."

The colored population was inclined to accept it as an omen of great portent. One venerable mammy, on inquiring of a white acquaintance and being informed that it was a meteor, declared, "Oh Lawd, dat's sho a bad sign."

A bystander who heard her ventured to express the hope that it was a sign of rain.

FAMILY REUNION TODAY.

Rev. D. W. Herring, of China, Returns Home After Long Absence.

After an absence of 12 years in China, where he is a missionary at an inland mission, Rev. D. W. Herring arrived Sunday at the home of his sister, Mrs. C. E. Daniel, at Turkey, in Sampson county. In honor of his coming there will be a reunion of his seven brothers and sisters there today. Mr. J. P. Herring, farm demonstrator for New Hanover county, a brother, and his family, will attend. Mr. and Mrs. Addison Hewlett, of this city, will also attend, Mrs. Hewlett being a sister.

Rev. Mr. Herring has been in China for 25 years and has returned home several times on a visit. He will spend some time in this country before returning to his work.

ELECT NEW OFFICERS.

Clarendon Lodge, Knights of Pythias, Elect for Ensuing Term.

At the regular meeting of Clarendon Lodge, Knights of Pythias, held in their hall last night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

Chancellor Commander—F. J. Hashagen.
Vice Chancellor—R. L. Meares.
Prelate—Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure.
Master at Arms—R. G. Cosby.
Master of Work—A. C. Boney.
Inner Guard—G. B. Moore.
Outer Guard—G. A. Warren.

—Messrs. J. P. and J. M. Council, of Wananish, were guests at the Orton yesterday.

DRYEST MONTH IN HISTORY

May Broke All Records in Wilmington for Rainfall—Tobacco Crop Seriously Damaged.

May was the dryest month of which the local weather bureau has any record, only .10 of an inch of rain having fallen during the entire month. In May, 1911, there was only .28 of an inch, which was a close second. The records of the Wilmington office extend back to 1871 and the normal rainfall for this month is four inches. In 1885 there was a rainfall of 8.58 inches while the lowest with the exception of 1911, was 1.18 inches in 1886.

During the entire month there were no cloudy days, though there were 14 when it was partly cloudy. The temperature for the month was practically the same that it usually is for this month, the notable feature being that there were no extremely hot days, the highest being 91 on May 28th. Thunder storms occurred on the 8th, 14th and 28th.

Observer Felger holds out little hope for rain, his forecast for today being generally fair with no decided change in temperature. The situation is getting to be serious in this section. The low temperature, the maximum yesterday being 79 degres, has aided in breaking the effect of the drought to some extent. In view of the fact that there has scarcely been any rain at all since April 26th, the condition of the crops is really remarkable. Corn is not suffering so badly and peanuts where they are up are not hurt badly. The tobacco grower has been the hardest hit for the plants were not transplanted before the drought set in and it has been impossible to get them out. It looks now like almost an impossibility to expect a crop that will amount to anything.

The drought has also seriously damaged the trucking crops, especially beans and potatoes. Cotton being essentially a dry weather plant has been the least injured perhaps of any of the crops.

Between Wilmington and Lumberton, through the counties of Brunswick, Columbus, parts of Bladen and Robeson, the drought is very pronounced and farmers are complaining bitterly. However, at Marion, S. C., and in lower Robeson county good "seasons" prevail and crops are doing splendidly.

In the Chadbourn section the strawberry season was considerably shortened by the drought and other vegetation in that belt is suffering, cotton perhaps being less damaged than other crops requiring more moisture.

In the sections of Columbus and Robeson where tobacco is grown and where such a splendid success of the crop was made last year, preparations had been made for a very large yield this year, but the drought has practically made it impossible for growers to get their plants in the field from the beds, where many of the sprouts have gone to seed. Through this belt there are perhaps many more new tobacco barns than were ever erected a season before, but they will be put to little use this year, and to make matters worse, growers have also gone to large expense for tobacco fertilizers which will be useless for this year's crop. Cotton in the main is well advanced and farmers say the outlook was never brighter. The fields are well tended and with no backset a big cotton crop will make up what will be lost in tobacco and other crops.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Number of Papers Filed for Registration Yesterday.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: W. A. Dick, trustee, to Mrs. Lucy C. Craft, for $10 and other considerations, lot No. 19, Carolina Court; L. J. Carter and wife to A. K. Moore, for $100 and other considerations, lot on east line of Fifth, 185 feet north of Bladen street, irregular in size; A. K. Moore to J. L. Becton, for $100 and other considerations, lot on north line of Castle, 66 feet west of 13th street, 33x99 feet in size; R. H. Northrop and wife to Geo. L. Mitchell, for $1,000 and other considerations, lot on west line of Fourth, 152 feet south of Second street, irregular in size; W. A. Dick, trustee, to Myrtle D. Pigford, for $10 and other considerations, lot No. 36, Carolina Court; M. O. West and wife to Geo. L. Mitchell, for $100 and other considerations, lots 8 and 9 in the Bronx; Dora Branch and Simon P. Branch, to S. A. Matthews and Edward Register, for $100 and other considerations, lot on south line of Queen, 66 feet west of Front, 33x60 feet in size; W. M. Cumming and wife to Dora Branch, for $100 and other considerations, lot on west line of Front, 44 feet south of Castle, 42.7x115 feet in size; A. K. Moore to Milton C. Wall, for $100 and other considerations, lot on east line of Fifth, 185 feet north of Bladen street, irregular in size; Jno. D. Bellamy, Jr., and Geo. B. Applewhite, to Annie Bellet, for $10 and other considerations, lot No. 9 in Montford Place Subdivision; E. M. Green and wife to trustees of New Zion Mission of A. M. E. Zion church, for $50 and other considerations, lot on southeast corner of Ninth and Marsteller streets 66x150 feet in size.

MR. W. B. COOPER HONORED.

Member of Sunday School Board of Southern Methodist Church.

Mr. W. B. Cooper has returned from Oklahoma City, where he attended the quadrennial session of the Methodist Conference as a delegate from the North Carolina Conference. He was elected a member of the Sunday School board of the Southern Methodist church, of which Bishop Atkins, of Waynesville, N. C., is chairman. Mr. Cooper has taken much interest in Sunday School work, and is chairman of the Sunday school board of the North Carolina Conference.

Since his return to the city Mr. Cooper has been at the beach recuperating. He served on the Sunday School committee of the General Conference and took a prominent part in its deliberations.

Will Erect Store Building.

A building permit was issued yesterday by the building inspector to J. H. Strauss for the erection of a store and dwelling on the northwest corner of Fourth and Hanover streets, the estimated cost being $11,000. Mr. H. L. Vollers is the contractor. A permit was also issued to John Ahrens for the erection of a small store building at Fourth and Nixon streets, the estimated cost being $400.

—Mr. R. C. Lawrence, of Lumberton, was in the city yesterday on business.

PRESENTATION OF JEWEL

Past Grand Master C. H. Robinson Honored by North Carolina Grand Lodge of Masons.

The Grand Lodge of North Carolina, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, convened in special communication in the Masonic Temple last evening at 8:30 o'clock for the purpose of presenting a Past Grand Master's Jewel to Past Grand Master Chas. H. Robinson. Eight lodges were represented and there was an attendance of about 80 members.

The presentation of the Past Grand Master's Jewel was made by E. S. Martin, Esq., Past Grand Master of St. John's Lodge, No. 1, on behalf of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina. Mr. Martin's speech, while not lengthy, was a beautiful and eloquent tribute to the Past Grand Master Robinson, to whom Mr. Martin was private secretary during the term of his office for the years of 1877-78. Past Grand Master Robinson replied very feelingly in his speech of acceptance, reviewing the years of his service very pleasantly.

The Past Grand Master's jewel presented to Mr. Robinson is a very handsome one, formed of gold and studded with a diamond.

The Past Grand officers present were Past Grand Master W. B. McKoy and Past Grand Master Chas. H. Robinson.

Grand officers present were M. W. John Thames, as Grand Master; R. W., Robert C. DeRosset, as Deputy Grand Master; R. W., Jno. C. Wessell, as Senior Grand Warden; R. W., Robt. C. Cantwell, as Junior Grand Warden; R. W., B. H. Stephens, as Grand Treasurer; R. W., A. S. Holden, as Grand Secretary; W., Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, as Grand Chaplain; W., E. L. Davis, as Senior Grand Deacon; W., C. F. Strunck, as Junior Grand Deacon; W., Chas. B. Newcomb, as Grand Marshal; W., Eric Norden, as Grand Sword Bearer; W., E. B. Penny, as Grand Pursuivant; W., J. H. Mitchell, Grand Steward; W., C. F. Nurnberger, as Grand Steward; W., Robert H. Bradley, of Raleigh, as Grand Tiler.

The following lodges were represented at the special communication last night: St. John's No. 1; Wilmington, No. 319; Orient, No. 395; LaFayette, No. 83; Richlands, No. 39; Columbia, S. C.; Palestine, No. 486; Atlanta, Ga.; LaFayette, No. 19, Washington, D. C.; William G. Hill, No. 218, Raleigh, N. C.

SCHOOLS CLOSE THIS WEEK

First of Closing Exercises Held Yesterday at Union School—Programme.

The first of the commencement exercises of the Wilmington Graded schools was held yesterday morning, this being the boy's declamation contest at the Union school. There were a large number of patrons and friends present. This morning at 10 o'clock at the same school there will be a declamation contest by the girls. The closing exercises of the Union School and the Isaac Bear Memorial school will be held tomorrow morning. Tomorrow night the seniors of the High School will have their class day exercises and Friday night there will be the annual address at the Academy of Music.

The commencement address Friday night will be made by J. W. Bailey, Esq., of Raleigh. Mr. Bailey is internal revenue collector and is recognized as one of the leaders in the State. He is a forceful speaker and an original thinker and his address will be well worth hearing. Following the address will be the presentation of diplomas to the High School graduates and the presentation of the Amy Morris Scholarship medal and the German-American Alliance medal.

In the declamtion contest at the Union school yesterday morning, the first prize was won by Welch Geeslin, of the sixth grade, and the second prize was won by William Roberts, of the seventh grade. The judges were Rev. H. C. Bowen and Miss Florence Wessell. Following the declamtions there was a flag drill by the girls of the seventh grade.

The following are those who entered the contests and their subjects:

Eighth Grade—Albert Wenberg, "Marco Bozzaris;" Llewellyn French, "The Hot Season."

Seventh Grade—George King, "Jone Jones;" Clayton Bellamy, "Hohenlinders;" William Roberts, "Pictures of Memory."

Sixth Grade—George Hardwick, "Twenty-five Years of Peace;" Welch Geeslin, "The Black Horse and His Rider;" Fred Renneker, "Gallileo;" Edward Snakenbery, "Away Down Home;" William Fuchs, "The Farmer Boy."

ENTERTAINMENT TONIGHT.

Closing Exercises of Miss Alderman's School at Academy.

The closing exercises of Miss Mary L. Alderman's school will be held in the Academy of Music tonight at 8:30 o'clock. Following the entertainment which will be given by the Sunbeam Club, there will be the presentation of certificates and the Bagley Memorial medal. The feature of the programme will be a comedy drama, "Handicap." Preceding this there will be a play given by the children entitled "Mother Goose." The exercises will be most interesting and enjoyable and there will no doubt be a large audience present.

The cast of characters in the drama is as follows:

Mrs. Lawton, principal of Academy.. Myrtle Rhodes
Mrs. Thurston, her sister ..... Elizabeth Davis
Miss Pinks, assistant teacher, ... Miss Sallie Oldham
Tom, the servant, George Fredericks
Nellie Lawton ...Elizabeth Westbrook
Georgiana .....Lessie Abrams
Roberta .....June Hudler
May .....Sallie Burriss
Gertie .....Ollie Sellars
School Children—Margaret Heyer, Lelia Vollers, Teddy Thurston and W. M. Leftwich.
Rev. Theopolous Stiggs ..... Alex. Walker.

—Archie Grant, colored, charged with obtaining money under false pretense, was arrested Monday night by Constable Davis and committed to jail by Justice George Harriss, to await a hearing.

DECLARES HE WAS BRIBED

Taylor Clifton Says He Was Given $200 to Leave House at Carolina Beach—Was Tenant.

Taylor Clifton, the principal witness examined in the trial of Messrs. J. J. Loughlin and T. H. Nelson before the Recorder yesterday on a charge of having removed a house near Carolina Beach, located on property claimed by Messrs. G. H. and M. A. Currie, of Clarkton, testified that he accepted $200 from one Bryan to desert the house in question.

After hearing the testimony of Clifton, which was extremely sensational, and examining Mr. G. H. Currie and Henry Farrar, a recess was taken until 10 o'clock this morinng when the hearing will be resumed.

Messrs. A. W. Pate, J. J. Loughlin, T. H. Nelson and several negroes were arrested several weeks ago on a charge of having removed the house. A preliminary hearing was conducted before Justice Bornemann and all were released except Messrs. Loughlin and Nelson, who were required to give bond of $250 each for their appearance before the Recorder. Clifton disappeared before the house had been demolished and was not located until last week when he was arrested at Lumber Bridge.

He testified yesterday afternoon that he was taken to the house by Mr. Currie, who instructed him to remain there. The next day, he said, Mr. Loughlin came to him and asked him what he was doing there. The witness stated that he told Mr. Loughlin that he had been put there by Mr. Currie to keep trespassers away, whereupon Mr. Loughlin informed him that the property did not belong to Mr. Currie and that it would be better for him to leave. Later the witness said that he informed Mr. Loughlin that he would not leave until he had heard from Mr. Currie.

The witness testified that about ten days after his arrival at the house that he was approached by one Bryan, whom he understood was employed by the New Hanover Transit Company of which Mr. Loughlin is an officer. Clifton said that he was asked by Bryan how much it would take to get him off and that he informed the latter that it would require not less than $200. The witness stated that he was informed by Bryan that the latter would see what he could do and that Bryan returned that night and told him that he could get the $200, if he would leave.

The witness testified that he told Bryan to bring it along and that it was brought the next morning by Bryan. Clifton said that he gave Bryan $25 for his services and then left in an automobile and came to Wilmington. He then went, he said, to Virginia and later returned to North Carolina, where he was subsequently arrested on a charge of having aided in the removal of the house.

The defendants in the case are represented by Kellum & Loughlin and John D. Bellamy C Son and J. O. Carr and A. J. Marshall, Esq., appear for the State.

NEW AUTO POLICE PATROL TURNED OVER TO CITY.

Handsome White Car Attracts Favorable Attention

The new white automobile patrol wagon for the police department was placed in commission yesterday, after having been tried out on a trial spin to the sound and several trips over the city. It replaces the old worn-out wagon patrol, which for many years past has served the city and hauled the offenders against the law from the place of their arrest to the prison cells in the city hall.

The new car is a handsome one, black in color and built for speed as well as endurance. It will accomodate from 10 to 16 men, and the compartment in which the prisoners ride is strong enough to hold the most unruly in confinement. The doors are fitted with locks, making it practically impossible for a prisoner to escape after he has been placed inside. It has a platform at the rear where several officers can stand, and also along each side, and there is space beside the chauffeur for another man. In fact, in case of a riot call, the big car is capable of transporting almost the entire police force to the scene of trouble in very short order.

On the trial trip to the sound yesterday Councilman W. F. Jones, of the department of public safety, had as his guests, Councilmen Wood and Chadwick, Chief of Police N. J. Williams, City Engineer Pillett; Superintendent of Streets McAllister, Superintendent of Scavenging Holton, Fire Chief Schnibben, Messrs. A. B. Skelding, P. W. Wells and T. M. Pridgen, and Mr. Delaney, a representative of the White Company, makers of the car.

The party stopped a short distance below Winter Park and enjoyed a dutch lunch as the guests of Councilman Jones, later returning to the city. Here several other trial runs were made, on one of which Mayor Moore, Mr. J. M. Solky and Mr. James Howard were the guests.

...any admiring remarks have been made by the citizens on the appearances of the new patrol.

Old Dick, the faithful police department horse who has pulled the old patrol wagon around for so many years, will probably be retired on a pension, with just enough buggy duty to keep him from going stale.

Before the Recorder.

Pearl Lane, Mabel Wells and Addie Atkins, all colored, were fined $5 and the costs each yesterday by the Recorder for disorderly conduct. Herbert Lane, colored, was fined $5 and the costs for assault and battery. Chum Brinksley, colored, was found not guilty of assault with a deadly weapon. A case against Tom Green, colored charged with larceny by trick, was continued until today. In default of bond in the sum of $50 he went to jail. A case against Henry Pridgen, white, charged with forgery, was continued until today.

Richard Suggs Arrested.

Richard Suggs, colored, who is charged with shooting his sister a few nights ago at their home at Macomber's station, was arrested yesterday by Constable John H. Davis and lodged in jail to await a hearing before Justice Harriss. The negro is alleged to have placed his gun close to his sister's temple and fired. The bullet glanced off, inflicting only a flesh wound.

—Messrs. H. W. Ambrose and A. H. Long, of Conway, S. C., were in the city yesterday on business.

WHAT NEED HAS A GIRL?

WHAT need has a girl of a bank account? The future may make it plain. The widow left with some means but little or no business ability is not an uncommon occurrence. The woman who acquires a knowledge of business will find it greatly to her benefit all her life. This bank gives special attention to accounts of girls, young women and women. We provide a special and elegantly equipped department for the women depositors of the bank.

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The above Tax will be due June 1, 1914. Must be paid on or before June 10, 1914. Applies to Professional Men, Cigarette and Coal Dealers, Commission Merchants, Theatres, Moving Picture Shows, Compresses, Undertakers, Soda Fountains, Billiard and Pool Tables, and all others liable under Revenue Act.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the United States Trust Company of New York, having resigned as trustee under the Unified Fifty Year Four per cent. Gold Mortgage made by the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company to the said United States Trust Company of New York as trustee dated the 16th day of November, 1909, the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has, pursuant to the provisions of the said mortgage by instrument executed by order of its Board of Directors duly appointed The New York Trust Company, trustee under the said Unified Mortgage, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of said United States Trust Company of New York

Dated May 1, 1914.

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By J. R. KENLY,
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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Miss Fannie Taylor has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Chas. E. Borden, of Richmond, Va.

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Mr. Fred. W. Bonitz, of Washington, D. C., is visiting his mother for a few days.

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Mrs. Chas. E. Borden, of Richmond, Va., arrived yesterday to visit her sister, Mrs. W. H. Pemberton, No. 715 Dock street.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Scott, of Birmingham, Ala., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Keen, No. 114 North Eighth street.

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Mr. P. Heinsberger, Sr., Mrs. P. Heinsberger, Jr., and two daughters, Misses Margaret and Sarah Hicks, have gone to Faison to spend the summer.

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The Woman's Missionary Society of Grace Methodist church will hold its regular monthly meeting this afternoon at 4 o'clock, in the lecture room of the church.

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The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Matthew's Lutheran church will run its annual excursion to Carolina Beach on the steamer Wilmington, Wednesday, June 10th.

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Master J. Edwin Holland, of Lumberton, arrived in the city yesterday and will spend the summer with Mr. and Mrs. J. Edwin Bunting.

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An important meeting of the Red Cross Society will be held in the parlors of the Colonial Inn Thursday, June 4th, at 11 A. M. A full attendance of the members is desired.

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Mrs. L. M. Sykes, Miss Carlotta Sykes and Austin Sykes, Jr., left Sunday for Atlantic City, N. J., where they expect to spend the balance of the summer.

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Rev. and Mrs. Thos. P. Noe and Misses Carrie Price and Olivia Hewlett are in Raleigh attending the Sunday school conference for the Carolinas which is being held at St. Mary's College this week. More than a hundred laymen, ministers and women are in attendance from the two States.

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St. Pauls, N. C., June 2.—Misses Lucile Magette and Allie Parsons, of Wilson, and Misses Jane and Bonnie McBride and Bess and Kate Blue, of Raeford, arrived today to attend a house party given by Misses Ina and Ella Mae Poole. The Misses Poole will entertain in honor of their guests tomorrow evening.

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Yesterday's Charlotte News: "Mr. Algernon Reese, the handsome young son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Reese, is off on his first trip to New York. He joined Mr. Will Sprunt, of Wilmington, at the Martinique. Mr. Reese will visit his uncle, Dr. Robert Reese, one of the most eminent scientists in New York."

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The Parish Guild of the Church of the Good Shepherd will give a "Colonial Social" in the hall at Sixth and Queen streets Thursday evening, June 4th, at 8 o'clock. An interesting programme of songs, tableaux and selections by the mandolin club has been arranged for the occasion. All the members of the chorus will be in Colonial costume. Ice cream, cake and home made candy will be sold. The price of admission will be five cents. A good time is assured and everybody is invited.

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RECITAL AT ST. ANDREW'S MEMORIAL HALL LAST NIGHT.

A large company of friends last evening in Saint Andrew's Memorial Hall enjoyed greatly a recital by Misses Lucy Behrends, reader, and Rachel Pearsall, soprano, a programme of rare interest having been rendered in most pleasing manner. The programme was as follows:

After the March Rain ..... Wm. Wordsworth
Comfort ..... Robt. Service
My Plaidie ..... Robt. Burns
A Mile With Me.... Henry Van Dyke
Lucy Behrends.
From the Land of the Sky Blue Water ..... Cadman
I Love You Truly ..... Carrie Jacobs-Bond
Rachel Pearsall.
A Sociable Seamstress ..... Beatrice Herford
Lucy Behrends.
If No One Ever Marries Me..... Liza Lemhann
Rachel Pearsall.
Thimble, Thimble ..... O'Henry
Lucy Behrends.

LOCAL DOTS.

—L. D. Baker, white, was arrested by Policeman S. H. Fulford on a warrant charging him with assaulting his wife. He was lodged in the city prison.

—W. A. Rivenbark, white, was arrested last night by Policeman S. H. Fulford on a charge of being drunk and disorderly and shooting a pistol in the city limits. He gave bond for his appearance before the Recorder this morning.

—Mr. P. A. Marshburn has purchased from Mr. C. E. Kennedy the store at the corner of Sixth and Chesnut streets and will be in active charge of the business in the future. Mr. Marshburn has been with the Wilmington Trading Co., for the past five years and is well equipped for conducting a general mercantile business.

JOHN R. EARLY AGAIN IN WASHINGTON CITY.

Alleged Leper Put Up at Well-Known Hotel—Caused Near Panic.

Washington, June 2.—John R. Early, who for the past five years has made many enforced journeys about the country in box cars and been held under quarantine in many cities while medical experts have disagreed on whether he is a leper, turned up in Washington again today and before his identity was discovered, took quarters at a fashionable up-town hotel, the home of Vice President Marshall and others prominent in capital life.

Early was not discovered until after he had telephoned to a newspaper asking for a reporter to interview "Mr. Westwood." The newspaper man at once recognized the noted patient and informed the authorities, who took Early back to his old place of isolation in the city limits. The fashionable hotel and its guests were thrown into a state of commotion.

The alleged leper escaped May 18 from the Diamond Head quarantine station, near Port Townsend, Washington, was traced to Victoria, B. C., where officers lost trace of him.

Wrightsville Beach

The Summer season is here.

Prospects for a successful season these days are most inviting.

Prospects for a successful sesaon were never brighter, say the hotel managers.

Summer weather has no terrors for those who are fortunate enough to have a cottage at the beach.

The Tidewater Power Company was kept busy yesterday moving large shipments of furniture and supplies.

With both the Atlantic Coast Line and the Seaboard Air Line offering such splendid service this Summer, there should be more visitors than ever before.

Mr. J. H. Mitchell, who along with various other attainments is an expert fishman, landed three ten-bound drum yesterday morning. He would have caught more, but had to stop because of other engagements.

The Tidewater Power Company has a force of hands at work on the track near the Oceanic Hotel putting in new cross ties and making other repairs. All of the track along the beach has been over hauled and put in first class shape.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. VanNess and daughter, Miss Alwida VanNess, of Charlotte, are guests at the Seashore Hotel. They will spend some time here and will later go to their Summer home in the mountains at Little Switzerland.

Early visitors to the beach have been greatly pleased with the thousands of Dorothy Perkins roses along the tracks of the Tidewater Power Co., at Winter Park and vicinity. Vines have been planted at each pole and these have been covered with pink flowers for the last several weeks.

Included in the early arrivals at the Seashore Hotel are Mr. E. French, Baltimore, Md.; Mrssrs. Wm. M. and S. L. Hamer and Miss Aileen Hamer, of Dillon, S. C.; Mr. A. B. Carwell, Chester, S. C.; Mr. J. E. Resos, Atlanta, Ga.; Mr. A. B. Chisson, Norfolk, Va.; Mr. H. C. Erwin, Atlanta, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brooks, Brevard

Capt. W. M. Wells, who has spent several Summers at the beach, arrived yesterday from Morehead City with four boats and crew for each. He ran into vast schools of blue fish in Moore's Inlet, appeared to be a million or more, he said. The genial and clever captain is domiciled at the Seashore Hotel, where he will be pleased to greet his friends.

Capt. Edgar D. Hinton, the popular manager of the Seashore Hotel, opened house yesterday. He is expecting a most successful season and states that he has more applications for reservations than ever before this early in the season. A number of guests were on hand for the opening and others ars expected today. Capt. Hinton is fortunate in having practically the same staff that he has had for several years. Mr. T. J. Gause, who was with the Orton for several years is chief clerk. Mr. W. J. Toomer, is back on the job as cashier. Mr. James F. Divine is back again as clerk. Mr. M. H. Roane, of the Jefferson Hotel at Richmond, arrived Sunday and will be on the staff of day clerks. Mr. John K. Williams will be night clerk. Mr. John W. Apter is steward and had everything spick and span for the opening. Mrs. Mary L. Seay, of Charlotte, housekeeper at Elizabeth College, has arrivde and will be housekeeper again this season.

Mr. Chas. E. Hooper, who will again have charge of the Oceanic Hotel this Summer, is busy getting everything in readiness for the opening of this popular hostelry which will be about June 10th. He is very optimisic over the outlook for a successful season. He stated yesterday that he had more guests booked than he had ever before had on July 1st. He has had several years on the beach and believes that this will be the best ever. The staff at the Oceanic will be practically the same this year as last. Mr. W. E. Pennington, the old reliable, who is recognized as a fixture on the beach, will be chief clerk. Mr. H. T. Bauman will be bookeeper. Messrs. G. S. Meals, Lawrence Wright and Thomas W. Strange, all old men, will be on the clerical staff. "Shep" Bryant, a Wilmington boy, will have charge of the cigar stand. Miss Minnie Pechman will be housekeeper. Mr. A. von Beulow will arrive today from Thomasville, Ga., to take charge as steward. He was steward last year and has a reputation as a culinary artist. Mr. "Bill" Watson will be life saver at the hotel again this Summer.

CANDIDATE YACHTS FOR CUP DEFENSE IN RACE

Vanitie Outdistanced Resolute in First Trial

Alexander S. Cochran's Gardner Designed Boat Crossed Finish Line a Mile in Lead—Today's Race Another Story.

Rye, N. Y., June 2.—Heeled under a stiff breeze until her bronzed underbody glistened in the afternoon sun like burnished gold, Alexander S. Cochran's Vanitie flashed across the finish line a winner over the Resolute by 16 minutes and 48 seconds in the first race for the America's defense candidate yachts on Long Island Sound today.

The official time allowance given the Resolute by the Vanitie was three minutes and 35 seconds, so that the aproximate corrected time advantage of the winner over the loser was close to 13 minutes, 13 seconds.

Yachting experts are not inclined to concede a repetition in this victory of the Gardner designed sloop over the Herreshoff creation, for the 29 mile race, over a triangular course, was sailed under fluky weather conditions and adherents of the flag officer's yacht believe tomorrow's race will be another story.

Thousands followed the yachts twice around the triangle in steam yachts, sailing craft and excursion steamers. The spectators saw two of the three single stickers built for the purpose of defending the America's cup against Sir Thomas Lipton's challenger Shamrock IV tried out under fluctuating weather conditions.

The Race.

The course was a triangular one that called for a close fetch, a beat and a broad reach, but weather conditions upset these calculations. It was 12:30 o'clock when the preparatory signal was sounded and rival skippers began to jockey for the start. At the wheel of the Resolute was Charles Francis Adams II, while at the wheel of the Vanitie stood Capt. William S. Dennis. Capt. Adams held a slight advantage on the final move and stood across the line at 12.46:12 while the Vanitie followed 34 seconds later.

Shortly after the cup defense candidates got away tne wind freshened to a ten-mile breeze. Once the Gard-

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CAPT. KENDALL, OF ILL-FATED EMPRESS OF IRELAND, FIGURED IN FAMOUS CRIPPEN CASE

Captain Kendall, hero of the Empress of Ireland disaster in the St. Lawrence river, stood by his ship to the last. The captain, who is a lieutenant of the British Royal Naval Reserve, was the skipper of the Montrose, in which the notorious Dr. Crippen sought to escape after the murder of his wife, and it was the captain that picked him out from the other passengers.

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For First Ten Days we will sell Twenty Treatments for $5.00—consisting of Hair Dressing, Manicuring, Shampooing and Scalp Treatments.
Don't fail to take advantage of this offer.

Announcement to the Ladies
Mrs. L. C. Euker, representing the Reinach Company, Incorporated, of Richmond, Va., will display at the Orton Hotel, Tuesday and Wednesday, June 2nd and 3rd, with the largest and most exclusive line of Ladies' Dresses, Waists and Millinery ever shown in this city.
Your inspection is cordially invited.

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Live out doors and get big and strong

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NOTICE
Pending the beginning of the summer schedule the Tide Water Power Company announces the following additional train service on the Suburban Line, effective June 1st.
Leaving Lumina at 6:05 A. M.
Leaving Lumina at 7:10 A. M.
Leaving Lumina at 8:15 A. M.

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June 3, 1914, at 8:30 P. M.
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No. Six-Sixty-Six
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clothes, you'll look a long ways before you'll find better clothes; they aren't made.
You'll agree when you see the good things here at $18; better ones at $20 and $25.
Palm Beach Suits, $7.50 to $10.00.
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50,000 5-inch No. 1 Cypress Shingles.
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40,000 No. 1 Pine Laths.
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2,000 bags Wall Plaster.
300 bags Fire Clay.
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Johnston Man Convicted of Raising $2 to $20

Preparing for Teachers' Institutes—Raleigh Having Trouble With Water Again—Noted Seaboard Case.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 2.—The Federal court in session here, Judge Connor presiding, has just sentenced to the Federal penitentiary at Atlanta David Allen Lee, of Johnston county, to serve five years for passing a two dollar bill for a twenty-dollar bill by deftly sticking a cipher alongside the $2 marking the bill. He claims not to have actually performed the trick of affixing the cipher. A brother of Lee's, Lamb Lee, was also given three years in the Atlanta prison for blockading.

Another offense that was charged up against David Aller Lee was going to the home of a neighbor whom he believed had reported him to the revenue officers for blockading and shooting up the place in typical outlaw fashion.

The court has acquitted Dock Howell, Goldsboro, on the charge of interfering with inter-State shipments by taking a package of liquor from an express company truck under the sheds of the union station, Goldsboro.

Preparing for Teachers' Institutes.

One hundred or more teachers' institute workers who will spend the summer holding, under the direction of the State Department of Education, teachers' institutes in every part of the State, 60-odd counties to be included, will gather here the last of this week for a three days' conference in preparation for their work, the conference being under the direction of Dr. J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, and Prof. E. E. Sams, who is in charge of the teacher training division of the State Department. The teachers' institutes will be held during the next three months, the vacation period for the teachers.

Noted Case Postponed.

A postponement to the July term has been ordered in Wake Superior court in the noted case of State vs. Seaboard Air Line, in which the railroad company is under indictment for refusing to submit for inspection by any citizen the books of the agent here showing the receipts and consignees for intoxicating liquors, the railroad company contending that the Inter-State commerce act prevents the company from submitting books for inspection except as to specific shipments and then only to officers of the law duly commissioned for the purpose. This is a case that will likely to to the Supreme Court of the United States.

Judge O. H. Allen has taken occasion, in Wake court, to declare the Wake county law retaining grand juries for six months' service instead of having a new jury for each court, as contrary to the spirit of the jury system. The present six months term jury is charged by prohibitionists with not returning true bills against liquor sellers despite the clearest sort of evidence.

Water Trouble in Raleigh Again.

Raleigh is having quite a serious trouble with the city water supply just now that the city commissioners promise to relieve very speedily. There has been a long dry season during which the water in the Walnut Creek supply source has become perfectly clear and it was being used direct to the city mains instead of the usual preliminary settling basin method. There came a sudden and unexpected heavy rainfall several miles up the creek and literally muddied the whole water supply before the gates for protection against this could be shut down, completely unfitting the whole supply for anything except sewerage purposes. On top of this the State laboratory of hygiene issues a warning that the water is seriously contaminated and must not be used for household purposes without boiling until there are clearer analyses reported.

ELECTRIC INTERLOCKING SIGNAL SYSTEM ON A. C. L.

To Be Installed on the New Double Track on Main Line

(Special Star Correspondence)

Rocky Mount, N. C., June 2.—Final arrangements are now being made by the Atlantic Coast Line for equipping the new double tracking along the main line south of Selma to Parkton with electric interlocking signals. The present track will be so equipped at the first possible moment, while the new tracking which a half dozen contracting firms are making lively progress in laying, will be put down with a view of attaching these modern safety devices. The new trackage to be thus equipped will be an addition of 63 miles to the 162 miles already thus equipped and working between Richmond and Selma and will bring the total mileage up to 225 miles.

There are more than a half dozen contracting firms putting the new trackage into position and doing the grading on this 63-mile stretch from Selma to Parkton. It is expected that they will complete their work during the present summer and with the gradual completion there will be operated over the new trackage a freight service that will gradually pack the grading and fills. The railroad expects to throw the trackage into general service for all trains about the first of the coming year.

AVIATION AT KINSTON.

Birdman to Fly There This Week First Time

(Special Star Correspondence)

Kinston, N. C., June 2.—Kinston will witness its first airship exhibition this week when, on Friday and Saturday Berger aviators will bring a Wright machine here for a series of four flights along the banks of Neuse river. Leslie Johnston, the most popular of local characters and a deaf and dumb youth, will feature the exhibition. Johnston, if he adheres to his determination to go up, will be, it is believed, the first mute to ever make an ascension in an aeroplane. The birdmen will fly over the tomb of Richard Caswell, the first governor of the State, who is buried a short distance from the park where the machine will rise and land, and who never dreamed of a flying machine.

SERIOUS OUTBREAK EXPECTED IN ULSTER FOLLOWING ADOPTION OF HOME RULE LAW

1-DORSET REGIMENT MARCHING THROUGH BELFAST-2-SIR EDWARD CARSON 3-ULSTER UNIONIST VOLUNTEERS

Belfast, June 2.—After the final passage of the home rule bill this city at first was ominously quiet. British troops from Irish garrisons were hastened here in anticipation of an outbreak. The Ulster Unionist volunteer army had long threatened war in case home rule was forced upon them. A serious outbreak is expected at any moment.

THEATRICAL

Today the popular photoplay house offers the eleventh installment of that bewitching serial movie, "Our Mutual Girl," and Margaret has some of the most interesting adventures of the series in this number. She has had an introduction to Blanche Ring, after seeing her in "When Claudie Smiles," at the Lyric Theatre, and she becomes so enthusiastic about this musical hit that she pleads with her aunt for permission to go on the stage herself. When her aunt refuses, she decides to go anyway, and proceeds to get a part and is rehearsing with a ballet when her aunt finds her. Miss Blanche Ring, a Wilmington favorite, is shown on the screen in two of the best scenes of her production.

"In a Persian Garden" is one of the most beautiful two-reel Eclair dramas that has ever been s hown in this city, in which a violinist wins a rich society girl by the stirring strains of his music. The fascination of the music adds to the acceptibleness of this big feature, and you will not be able to escape the subtle fascination of this play, a love story where music is the dominating motive, in which the softening notes of a violin quickens love in a girl's breast.

Today is Ford Sterling Day, and another one of those fascinating Sterling comedies will conclude the programme for the day. It is entitled "Neighbors," in which a card game starts a riot among neighbors, and creates the most ridiculously confusing spectacle ever pictured on the screen. Today is a big day. Don't miss it.

Mary Pickford Today.

Upon the big screen at the Grand yesterday was flashed to the great delight and real edification of crowds of Wilmington theatre-goers the mammoth, magnificent film presentation of "Tess of the Storm Country," a genuine Daniel Frohman production, with America's foremost American actress, Miss Mary Pickford, and all-star support. The crowd witnessed the biggest thing for real art that has yet been offered in Wilmington in the way of moving pictures and they marveled much; not only at the brilliancy of the production, the enterprise of the alert Grand management that made such possible for them, but at the very small price of admission—10 cents, the lowest ever charged to behold this wonderful photoplay. Miss Pickford in the title role was superb. She was intense and powerful, and swayed her large audiences through the different strong emotions that abound in the film. The scenery was most elaborate and well showed the vast amount of money spent in order to make this production. As large as were the crowds of yesterday, naturally all theatre-goers did not get chance to witness the film, and they will hail with delight the announcement that again today will this magnificent film masterpiece be offered at the Grand. In order to afford every one chance to see the film the performances will commence at 11 o'clock this morning and continue until 11 o'clock tonight.

MRS. HAND UNDER GUARD.

Will be Brought to Burgaw Today to Face Judge Cooke.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Burgaw, N. C., June 2.—The last chapter thus far in the Hand-Jordan tragedy was written when Mrs. Hand, charged with killing her brother, Geo. P. Jordan, was escorted to her home by a deputy sheriff and there placed under guard. She will be brought here to court tomorrow, when Judge Cooke will investigate and take action in connection with the application made for a writ of habeas corpus.

SPIRITUALISM ROASTED BY EVANGELIST HAYNES

Nothing But a Revival, In Modern Guise, of Sorcery.

"Spiritualism, while it counts its converts by hundreds of thousands, yes, even by millions, and while it has worked its way into scientific circles, and even entered the courts of kings, is nothing, after all, but a revival, in a modern guise, of the condemned and prohibited sorcery and witchcraft of old," said Carlyle B. Haynes, the evangelist and lecturer, last night before a larger audience than usual at the big tent at 11th and Market Streets.

His subject was "Spiritualism," and he read a number of passages from the Bible to show that the practice of communication with so-called spirits of the dead was prohibited by the Creator and was punished among God's ancient people by death. He also uoted texts from the Bible to show that the spirits which mediums claim to deal with were not the spirits of the dead but demons impersonating the dead. Continuing, he said:

"It is not necessary in these days to describe the various modes of operation adopted in the manifestation of the phenomena of spiritualism. These are so common as to be quite generally known. But that which so far has been the crowning deception of all is the so-called materialization of spirits. This does, and is destined to, deceive many who resist the more ordinary manifestations.

"In order to accept the claims of spiritualism it is necessary to throw away the teachings of the Bible. There is sufficient light in the Scriptures to enable the seeker for truth to discover the snare in the lying claims of this deception. The theory which lies at the very foundation of this delusion is at war with the plainest statements of Scripture."

DEPUTY SHERIFF HAS AN EXCITING EXPERIENCE

Lenior County Negro Responsible Gets 30 Days

(Special Star Correspondence)

Kinston, N. C., June 2.—H. V. Allen, a deputy sheriff, today relates the most exciting experience of his career as an officer, and John Brown, colored, directly responsible, began a roads sentence of 30 days. Allen went to the farm of Obie Hill at Sand Hill to serve a minor paper. Hill was absent and Allen requested Brown, a farm hand, to delivery a copy of the paper. The black refused pointblank. "I deputize you", said Allen. "Deputize and be hanged", said Brown, "I'll do nothing of the kind". Allen folded the paper and stuck it into Brown's overalls pocket. The negro struck him full in the face. Before the astonished officer could recover his equilibrium Brown had landed with effect several other blows.

In the mixup that followed the negro was struck in the mouth and Allen was seized by the waist repeatedly and hurled over the black's head until, as he said, he was positively dizzy. Allen wondered when it would stop. Finally a momentary lull came when the black seized a plank. As he returned to the fray Allen thrust his revolver into his opponent's face, and Brown threw up his hands. Bystanders urged the deputy not to shoot, but as Allen turned to listen to them Brown leaped upon him and the deputy's revolver came into play. One of the bystanders struck his arm and the bullet went wild between Brown's feet, but had a calming effect upon the obstreperous black. The magistrate who heard the case immediately after Allen had brought the negro in a prisoner gave him a roads sentence for assault and ordered him returned to stand trial for resisting.

STRICKEN WITH PARALYSIS.

Engineer W. G. McLauchlin In Serious Condition.

Tarboro, N. C., June 2.—His many friends over the State will learn with regret that Mr. W. G. McLauchlin, of this city, on yesterday suffered a stroke of paralysis and is now in a serious condition at his home on Main street.

Mr. McLauchlin is an engineer on the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad and has many friends here and throughout the State.

"ENOCH ARDEN" AT ATKINSON

Play to be Given at High School Friday Night

(Special Star Correspondence)

Athinson, N. C., June 2.—The play "Enoch Arden" will be given at Atkinson high school building on Friday night, June 5. The public is invited. The admission will be 15 cents, and the proceeds will go for the benefit of the Baptist church.

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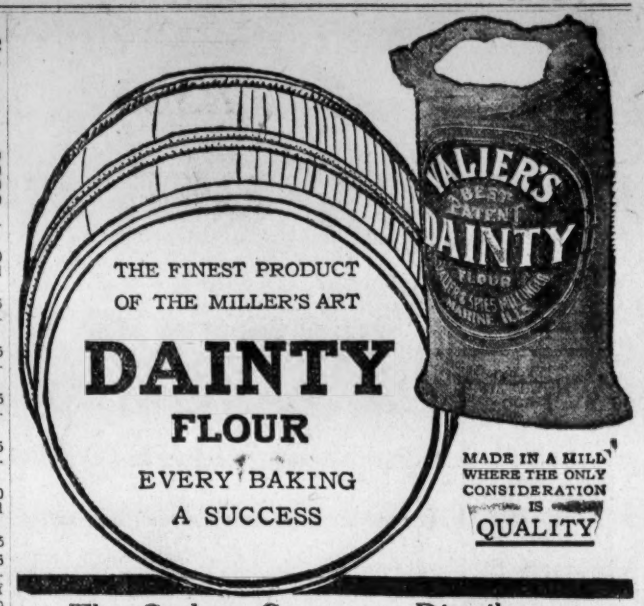

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Gossip From Washington

WHEN Representative Carter Glass of Virginia was a boy he was known as "Pluck." No game was too rough or work too hard for him, and when the other boys beat him at a game of ball he generally chased his victorious foes off the ground with his bat. And "Pluck" he is today to most of his old friends in Lynchburg.

Mr. Glass gets some interesting letters from his constituents, as the following will show: "Please send me a span of mules from the agricultural department; also a pair of crutches for my rheumatism."

Senator Robert L. Owen of Oklahoma tells this one:

"At one time Mrs. Owen lived in Lynchburg and while there hired a colored man as her gardener. He had once been a man of little principle, but had become converted and now made great profession of piety.

"When he came to our home to see about getting the place Mrs. Owen thought she would test his sincerity, so she questioned him regarding his honesty.

"'James,' she said, 'I am told you are a professing Christian now.'

"'Yas, yas, ma'am, I is,' replied James, with a sweeping bow.

"'Well, I want you to give me your opinion of apple stealing,' continued Mrs. Owen.

"'Well, ma'am,' grinned James, 'it's jest this way: I 'lows it ain't right ter steal no apples. But whin I is down at de depo' handlin' dem barrels of apples I orders my right hand to keep out, and I finds my left will keep slippin' around till it gits one, so I don't let my right hand know what my left hand do.'

SENATOR R. L. OWEN.

"And he broke into a delighted chuckle at having solved the problem to his entire satisfaction."

Representative Joseph R. Knowland of California was only twenty-five when he got his start in politics. At that age he was elected to the lower house of the California legislature. He was re-elected in 1900 and in 1902 was elected to the state senate, resigning after one term to go to congress.

JOSEPH R. KNOWLAND.

Speaker Clark had an experience as a lecturer that he likes to tell when "hard times" are discussed.

"General Grosvenor and I went out on a lecture tour, so called, during the tight times of 1907," said the speaker. "It was called a lecture tour because we wanted to get the money out of it. We had arranged for two weeks of speaking. When I started I took $100 or so in my pocket to cover accidents. The lecture tour progressed satisfactorily, and we got $150 a night each, but every night we were paid in checks.

"When we got to Toledo at the end of ten days I found I had $5.45. Those were the days when you couldn't get your money out of a bank on a check.

"'General, you'll have to lend me money enough to get out of town,' I said to Grosvenor, 'unless they pay us cash tonight.'

"He counted up, but had only $5.20. We notified the manager at 10 o'clock in the morning that we wanted our pay in real money, and at 10 o'clock that night he gave us each $75 in cash and $75 in a check. He said he could not raise $300 in money in the whole town of Toledo during the twelve hours. We got our money finally on all the checks."

The office of private secretary to the secretary of the treasury is looked upon as one of the most desirable posts in Washington. It usually leads to appointment before the end of the term to an assistant secretaryship in the department, and asistant secretaries with remarkable frequency graduate into large financial institutions.

When Secretary McAdoo came to the department he brought with him Byron R. Newton, a New York and Washington newspaper man, as his private secretary. Mr. Newton won his promotion to an assistant secretaryship, and his place was taken by another newspaper man, George R. Cooksey.

An Old Favorite

Will the Lights Be White?

OFT, when I feel my engine swerve
As o'er strange rails we fare,
I strain my eye around the curve
For what awaits us there.
When swift and free she carries me
Through yards unknown at night
I look along the line to see
That all the lights are white.

The blue light marks the crippled car;
The green light signals slow;
The red light is a danger light;
The white light, "let her go."
Again the open fields we roam,
And when the night is fair
I look up in the starry dome
And wonder what's up there.

For who can speak for those who dwell
Behind the curving sky?
No man has ever lived to tell
Just what it means to die.
Swift toward life's terminal I trend.
The run seems short tonight.
God only knows what's at the end.
I hope the lamps are white.

—Cy Warman.

PUDDING POINTS.

When making a pudding grease the pudding basin well, as grease prevents the mixture from sticking to the basin. If it sticks the pudding will not turn out properly.

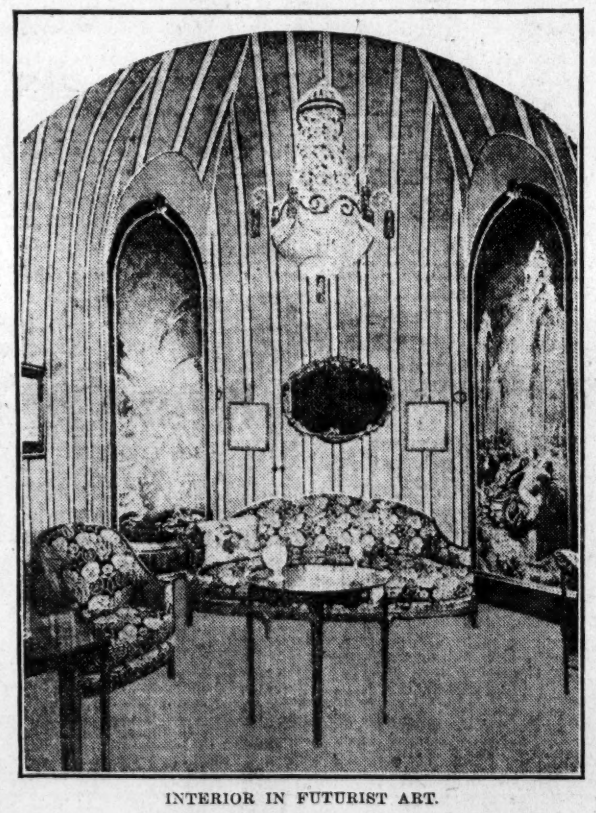
When making a boiled pudding always be sure that the basin is filled quite full. If there is any space left water will get in, and consequently the pudding will be heavy.

Make sure that the pudding is kept boiling all the time. If it is allowed to go off the boil it will be heavy.

All suet puddings require long cooking to render them digestible.

Whenever possible it is wise to steam a suet pudding instead of boiling it, as it will be lighter and more digestible. Allow one hour more for this way of cooking than the time allowed for boiling.

TREATMENT OF CIRCULAR ALCOVE ROOM.



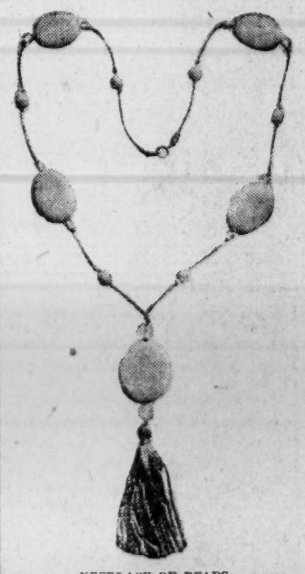
INTERIOR IN FUTURIST ART.

THE circular room and dome shaped ceiling are not often to be found in modern houses. The little alcove room which is illustrated here presented difficulties which the decorator has managed cleverly, although a striped paper was used in the adornment of the wall. The furnishings are carried out in futurist styles.

FANCY BEADS.

They Are an Important Part of the Smart Woman's Toilet.

Fancy bead necklaces are important parts of the smart costumes. These trinkets come in all manner of odd combinations and gay colors. They must harmonize or contrast with the color of the dress. Amber beads and



NECKLACE OF BEADS.

those of semiprecious stones are affected by the woman who can afford them, but there are many charming and inexpensive substitutes for these. The necklace illustrated here consisted of large flat red beads in coral pink, with intermediate strands of gold chain.

A GREEN SALAD.

Its Successful Preparation Not a Particularly Easy Matter.

The lettuce, cress, tomato, cucumber or whatever green salad plant or vegetable is used must be unwilted, washed well and chilled. Do not let it lie soaking in cold water, but chill in the ice chest. Then the oil must be the best you can get and kept in a cool, uniform temperature and the bottle closed. Do not bring the materials for a salad into a hot room, but take them into a cool pantry or the dining room, for its crispness is important.

Many people like a salad dressed at the table, but it is sometimes more convenient to do this the very last thing if the mistress herself compounds it, otherwise the waitress attends to it just in time for serving. Mix the dressing and lay the green salad into it, mixing well with a boxwood fork and spoon. Epicures advise rubbing the bowl of the wooden spoon with a clove of garlic, but this sort of seasoning is seldom on hand in the average kitchen. The next best thing is to add two or three drops of onion juice. Use so little that it cannot be detected as onion flavor.

The proportion of oil and vinegar may vary, but the general rule calls for one tablespoonful of vinegar to two of oil, a quarter level teaspoonful of salt and a few grains of pepper. This proportion is a guide, but experience will show that more vinegar will be better for some salads. Be particular to get the best vinegar, and a little tarragon vinegar will be relished now and then. A very little made mustard is an addition to the oil dressing for tomatoes. Use a saltspoonful of the made mustard to three tablespoonfuls each of oil and vinegar, also a saltspoonful of white pepper and half a level teaspoonful of salt.

PEDIGREE OF UMBRELLAS.

When we look at the wonderful umbrellas shown in the shops—at those of silk in leather or velvet sheaths to carry when we travel or parasols of chiffon gathered and puffed and ruffled and trimmed with flowers and ribbons—we don't remember that they are all descendants of trees. But they are.

The umbrella and parasol come from the east. In the east in early times the king when he held audiences held them out of doors, and, of course, he sought the shade of a comfortable tree, for the eastern sun was hot.

When the eastern kings became more civilized they had palaces, and in time they held audience indoors. So they had as a symbol of the trees which had shaded their royal forefathers a tree of gold or silver over the chair in which they sat when matters of state were under consideration.

Later still, when the civilization of these kings was further advanced, they had trees of gold and silver and silk, which servants carried over them when they walked. And that is the direct ancestor of the present umbrella and parasol.

Xenophon says that the Persians were so effeminate that in the summer they carried small portable trees made of fabrics to protect them from the sun. So it is easy to see what was thought of men when they first carried this prerogative of royalty.

MILADY'S LOCKS.

Don't be afraid of brushing the hair.

Do the brushing vigorously.

Remember that abnormally greasy hair requires rather frequent washing.

Be careful to dry it thoroughly after washing to avoid dandruff.

Use a strengthening tonic if the hair comes out.

Don't burn it with hot tongs or keep it screwed up tightly in curling pins at night.

SIMPLE METHOD OF CLEANING A GAS STOVE.

When one has a greasy stove that is hard to manage and keep clean it is worth while to try the following method, which a Swedish girl invented:

Take all the parts of the gas stove, including the iron tops, the burners and pipes, apart. They will lift out easily. Place them in a stationary tub or wash boiler and cover with very hot water. Dissolve half a can of lye in the water and let stand an hour or so, if possible overnight.

Great care should be taken that the hands do not come in contact with the lye water. The head should be kept turned away from the vessel when the lye is poured into the water, as a strong gas is formed that is very disagreeable to breathe.

If this is tried once a month the gas range will always be perfectly free from grease of any kind if cleaned in the usual way once a week.

A stationary tub is preferable for this work, as the plug can be easily pulled without danger of burning the hands with lye water, and the parts of the stove can be more easily rinsed.

If the oven becomes rusty or smells musty when cooking meat rub the interior with French chalk every two weeks or once a month. This will give it the appearance of an enameled oven. Sometimes one finds a stove that is so rusty when one moves into a new house that even French chalk has no effect. It usually works like magic and is worth trying, as the chalk costs but a few cents a pound.

FOR AND ABOUT WOMEN.

Egypt and Sweden now have women judges.

Copenhagen has 4,094 female municipal employees.

In Algeria girls marry when they are ten years of age.

New Jersey canning industries employ over 3,000 women.

The average pay of chorus girls is $450 for the season.

Miss Cora Dow of Cincinnati owns twelve drug stores in that city.

For every thousand males employed in New Jersey there are 276 females.

Women pursers are now employed on some of the Hudson river boats.

Fresh Air.

Those who have little time for exercise and are compelled to live chiefly within doors must endeavor to obtain or should have obtained for them as far as possible by employers, by way of compensation, a regular supply of fresh air without drafts, an atmosphere as free from dust and other impurities as can be obtained, with a good supply of light and some artificial warmth when needed.

PASSING THE FUNNY ONES ALONG

The Only Weak Point.

A religious worker was visiting a southern penitentiary when one prisoner in some way took his fancy. This prisoner was a negro who evinced a religious fervor as deep as it was gratifying to the caller.

"Of what were you accused?" the prisoner was asked.

"Dey says I took a watch," answered the negro. "I made a good fight. I had a dandy lawyer, an' he done prove an alibi wif ten witnesses. Den my lawyer he shore made a strong speech to de jury. But it wasn't no use, suh. I gets ten years."

"I don't see why you were not acquitted," said the religious worker.

"Well, suh," explained the prisoner, "dere was shore one weak spot 'bout my defense—dey found de watch in my pocket."

She Understands It.

"Does your wife understand baseball?"

"Thoroughly. Only yesterday she asked me what letter was embroidered on the initial sack."

Foolhardiness.

Clarence—Willie, deah boy, advise me. I'm twightfully flurwied. I'm about to pwopose to Miss Stwongmind. D'ye think, now, there's any dangah that—

Willie (interrupting)—Dangah! You weckless cweature! Why, there ain't one chawnce in a million faw you to get away without being accepted!

Pretty Glove Case.

To make a glove case take a long, narrow box and pad it carefully inside and out. Arrange the wadding so that it is quite flat round the upper part of the outside of the box, in order that the lid can be slipped on easily.

Then pad the lid on the outside only. The cotton wool that is placed on inside of the box should be sprinkled with sachet powder.

Next cover the box tightly with muslin, and over this fix the outer cover of white satin.

Before placing the latter over the lid, however, embroider a large lovers' knot in the center of the material. Then work an initial in the middle of each bow.

A knot in pale pink or old rose color, with the initials in a deeper shade, would be very effective. Another idea would be to have the knot in pale blue silk with silver thread initials. This would look exceedingly handsome when finished.

HOUSEHOLD HELPS.

If you drop grease on the kitchen floor scatter soda on it and then pour boiling water. The spots will come out easily.

Lay hot pancakes on soft paper in front of the oven if you wish to be sure of their being absolutely free from grease.

If chocolate is to be served with sandwiches it should be made an hour beforehand and allowed to stand in the double boiler.

Rub potato juice on a water pitcher which has become corroded from letting water stand in it, and the stains will disappear.

A woolen scarf can be dry cleaned by rubbing dry cornstarch thoroughly into it and shaking it out. Go through this process several times.

THE CHILDREN'S CORNER

The Lower Criticism.

"Hey, ma, don't come down; it ain't worth it!"

Beehive.

By prefixing the letter "b" change—1. A grain into a vessel. 2. A bird into a stream. 3. A part of the house into a household implement.

Answers: No. 1, oat, boat; 2, rook, brook; 3, room, broom.

Sleepy Time.

All the squirrels have lost their heads;
Just a ball of fur they are.
Lions sleep and tigers doze;
Disinclined to stir they are.
Birds must all be taking naps;
Not a sound from any tree.
Nothing seems to be awake,
But the grasshoppers and me

Riddles.

Why is the oyster the wisest animal? Because he keeps his mouth shut.

Why is the Milky way in the sky? Because the cows jumped over the moon.

When is a baby like a breakfast cup? When it's a tea thing (teething).

What roof covers the most noisy tenant? The roof of the mouth.

Why are days longer in summer than in winter? Heat expands, cold contracts.

What class of persons have the most bones in their bodies? Those who live on a fish diet.

Today's Short Story

A Valet's Tale

I had been with Sir Edward a matter of five years and had got to know his whims and conceits to perfection when he made a break one day that took my breath away.

It was just after Lady Kildare had spent two hours at the manor and held a private conversation with him. Lady Kildare was a widow of fifty, who still went much into society, and she was reputed to be a great schemer.

When she had driven away my master called me in.

"Tench," he said, 'I'm going a-courting. Yes, I am. Lady Kildare is going to put me alongside of a handsome little girl who may fall in love with and be willing to wed a sad old dog like me.

"I'm going to the Cedars next week to meet the young lady, and, of course, you will go with me. If you are asked about my age by any of the servants you'll stick to fifty-five and you'll say I am as spry as any man of thirty."

I never came to understand all the ins and outs of the affair, but I learned enough to satisfy me that it was a put up job on the part of Lady Kildare to marry off a penniless niece of hers.

It went through with a rush. The girl was fair looking and played her cards well. She wanted the old man's name and money, even if she had to take him with them. On his part he fell in love with her at first sight, and before a fortnight had passed their engagement was announced.

There were a dozen others in the party at the Cedars, and almost from the first I learned from the butler that Captain Carew, who was one of the party, had paid Miss Montague marked attentions and that there would have been a match except for his poverty.

Well, the wedding took place in two months, and after a trip lasting two weeks Sir Edward and his bride returned. She didn't like me, and I didn't like her, but I stayed on.

In six months Captain Carew called only three times, and I had begun to believe the old love affair dead when the gardener informed me that Lady Edward and the captain had met more than once of an evening in a certain summer house.

I dared say nothing to master, at least until I had seen with my own eyes, and one evening I posted myself where I could either corroborate or disprove the gardener's assertions. In my own mind I believed him mistaken.

On this night Sir Edward had gone to bed early after a feeble day, and he appeared to be sleeping as I stole away. It was a fairly bright night in midsummer, and I walked across the grounds to find a man and a woman, he with his arm around her, walking up and down one of the paths. As they approached me I hid behind a bush, and they passed within ten feet of me. It was the captain and Lady Edward, and they were talking of love. They walked on for perhaps twenty rods and then turned to come back, and as they did so I felt a hand on my arm and a voice said in my ear:

"Not a word or a move, Tench. I have long suspected this, and I am here now to make sure."

We stood there like two men of stone. Sir Edward was rigidly upright and firm on his legs, and I believe I heard the beating of his heart as the lovers slowly came forward. When they were exactly opposite he stepped out and fired at Captain Carew point blank, and before I could raise a hand he turned the pistol on himself and sent a bullet into his head. The bullet intended for the captain missed him by a hair's breadth, though he staggered and fell, and Lady Kildare went down in a dead faint.

At the coroner's inquest next day they called it temporary aberration of mind and suicide, and a year later the widow married Captain Carew. I could have created a sensation and a scandal, but I said not a word.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

COTTON MARKET UNSETTLED

By Heavy Realizing During Yesterday's Session—Lost Half of Previous Day's Gain.

New York, June 2.—The cotton market was unsettled by heavy realizing today, losing about half of yesterday's big advance, and closing barely steady at a net decline of 14 to 20 points. A very bullish weekly weather report checked selling during the middle of the day, but failed to inspire any material broadening of fresh demand and prices reached the lowest point in the late trading.

The market opened barely steady at unchanged prices to a decline of ten points and after some irregularity sold about 9 to 13 points net lower during the middle of the morning under heavy general profit taking which was doubtless promoted by the failure of Liverpool to fully meet yesterday's local advance and the official forecast for fair weather in the Southwest.

In addition to realizing there was some selling for a reaction, but offerings of such a character were restricted by bullish private crop advices and following the publication of the weekly weather bureau prices rallied to about or a shade over, the closing figures of last night.

This really attracted increased realizing and after some of the early sellers for a reaction had covered the market again weakened and broke very sharply during the last hour. Closing prices were the lowest of the day, with December contracts showing a reaction of 25 points from the high level of yesterday. A traveling crop expert wired in from Dallas that the Texas crop was in bad shape and the statement of the weekly weather bureau that a large area in Northern Texas had not been planted and that many fields had been abandoned, was one of the points emphasized by bullish traders around the local ring.

On the late decline, however, a report was received from Austin claiming that with favorable weather, the Texas crop would improve rapidly, although it might not be able to overcome all the damage that had been done, while there may also have been some selling on local predictions of showers in the Eastern belt, where needed.

Cotton futures closed barely steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	13.35	13.36	13.20	13.20
Aug	13.22	13.25	13.00	13.08
Oct	12.98	13.03	12.84	12.84
Dec	12.97	13.04	12.62	12.84
Jan	12.77	12.88	12.70	12.70
Mar	12.80	12.80	12.72	12.72

Spot cotton, quiet. Middling uplands, 13.75; middling gulf, 14.00. No sales.

The Port Movement.

New Orleans—Middling, 13¾; receipts, 1,644; exports 11,304; sales, 1,530; stock, 120,279.

Galveston—Middling, 14.00; receipts, 6,844; exports, 100; sales, 2,702; stock, 135,611.

Mobile—Middling, 13½; receipts, 1,187; exports, 90; sales 75; stock, 10,179.

Savannah—Middling, 13⅞; receipts, 2,220; exports, 5,305; sales, 20; stock, 46,348.

Charleston—Middling, 13½; receipts, 286; exports, 1,065; stock 3,783.

Wilmington — Nominal; receipts, 62; stock, 14,492.

Norfolk—Middling, 13⅜; receipts, 276; exports, 156; sales, 794; stock, 21,926.

Baltimore—Middling 13¾; stock, 1,243.

Boston—Middling, 1,375; receipts, 33; stock, 10,460.

Philadelphia—Middling, 14.00; receipts, 689; stock, 2,214.

New York — Middling, 13.75; exports, 1,879; stock, 124,092.

Minor Ports—Stock, 3,565.

Total today — Receipts, 13,241; exports, 19,899; stock, 496,976.

Total for week—Receipts, 29,999; exports, 84,868.

Total for season—Receipts, 10,121,939; exports, 8,481,290.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling, 13¾; receipts, 1,405; shipments, 2,070; stock 67,073.

Memphis—Middling, 13¾; receipts, 1,060; shipments, 3,635; sales, 1,150; stock, 39,750.

Augusta—Middling 14¼; receipts, 669; shipments, 403; sales, 176; stock, 23,387.

St. Louis—Middling, 13¾; receipts, 491; shipments, 511; sales, 1,057; stock, 24,129.

Cincinnati—Receipts 333; shipments, 509; stock, 19,020.

Little Rock—Middling, 13¼; receipts, 21; shipments, 820; stock, 29,068.

Total today—Receipts, 3,979; shipments, 7,948; stock 203,336.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, June 2.—Spot cotton, firm. Good middling, 8.48; middling, 7.86; low middling, 7.38. Sales, 8,000. Speculation and export, 500. Receipts, 6,000.

Futures quiet. June, 7.44; June-July, 7.27; July-August, 7.20½; August-September, 7.14½; October-November, 6.86; December-January, 6.77½; January-February, 6.77; March-April, 6.78½.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, June 2.—Mercantile paper, 3⅜@4. Sterling exchange, firm; sixty days, 4.8610; demand, 4.8860. Commercial bills, 4.85⅝. Bar silver, 58⅛. Mexican dollars 43⅛. Government bonds, easy. Railroad bonds, irregular. Call money steady; ruling rate, 1%; closing, 1%@1¼. Time loans, steady; sixty and ninety days, 2½; six months, 3¼.

NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, June 2.—Turpentine, firm at 43¾@44¼c.; sales, 610; receipts, 1,267; shipments, 1,250; stocks, 18,004.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 1,680; receipts, 2,729; shipments, 2,853; stocks, 107,972. Quote: A, B, 3.55@3.65; C, D, 3.85; E, 3.95; F, 4.05; G, 4.07½; H, 4.10; I, 4.15; K, 4.35; M 4.75; N, 5.35; W G, 5.75; W W, 6.00.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, June 2.—Cotton goods markets today were firm, and buying of print cloths was more active. A successful wash goods distribution occurred in one of the large jobbing houses. Silk and men's wear lines were quiet.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, June 2.—Hogs—Strong. Bulk of sales, 8.00@8.10; pigs, 7.00@7.80.

Cattle—Steady. Cows and heifers, 3.70@8.75; calves, 7.00@9.75. Sheep, firm; lambs, 6.50@8.50.

BRYAN COMING DURING JULY.

Will Make First Speech of Chautauqua Season in North Carolina.

Washington, June 1.—Secretary Bryan announced today that if public business would permit, he would spend part of his vacation this year lecturing on a Chautauqua circuit. Mr. Bryan's first lecture will be delivered in North Carolina, July 4th, he said.

That Held Him.

A man started to tell his wife the other day about a woman who made her own gown.

But the wife silenced him by telling about a man who made $10,000 on the stock exchange.—Exchange.

Clinging.

"Does Tightwad keep Sunday?" "I expect he does, if he ever gets hold of it."—Judge.

UPWARD TURN IN WHEAT

Influenced by European Advices of Bullish Crop Conditions and Diminishing Supply.

Chicago, June 2.—Wheat prices turned upward today, influenced largely by European advices of bullish crop conditions and of diminishing stock on hand. The market here closed steady at an advance of 1-4 a 3-4 c net. Other leading staples, too, all showed gains—corn 3-4 a 7-8 to 1 3-8c, oats 1-4 a 3-8 a 1-2 and provisions 2 1-2 a 15 to 45 c.

Wheat—No. 2, red, 95¾; No. 2, hard, Cash grain: 94½@95¾; No. 2, Northern 97@98; No. 2, Spring, 96@98.

Corn—No. 2, 70½@71¾; No. 2, yellow, 71½@72¾.

Oats—No No. 2 quotations; standard, 40⅝@41½.

Grain and provisions:

Wheat—July, 87; September, 85⅝.

Corn—July, 69⅝; September, 67¼.

Oats—July, 40; September 38⅝.

Pork—July, 20.25; September, 19.87.

Lard—July, 9.97; September, 10.15.

Ribs—July, 11.22; September, 11.32.

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Schr. Persis A. Coldwell, 440 tons, Stratton, Maffitt & Wood.

Schr. Calhoun E. Ross, 375 tons Coulbourne, Maffitt & Wood.

Schr. Ida L. Miller, Ulsen, Maffitt & Wood.

Barges.

Barge Mattie L. Johnson, Johnson, Maffitt & Wood.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, June 2.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady, 43¼.

ROSIN—Steady, at $3.45.

TAR—Firm, at $2.25 per barrel; in casks, 10c. per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, 2.50 per barrel for hard; 3.50 per barrel for dip; 3.50 per barrel for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits, 35½; rosin, 3.50; tar, 2.20; crude turpentine, 3.50, 3.75, 2.75.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	5
Rosin	3
Tar	32
Crude Turpentine	17

Receipts same day last yaer — Spirits turpentine, (—) casks; rosin, 23 barrels; tar, 76 barrels; crude turpentine, (—) barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market — Spot, quiet; middling, nominal; last year, nominal.

Receipts, 62. Same day last year, 162 bales.

Total receipts since September 1, 398,342 bales.

Total receipts same day last year, 310,149 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith May 30, 1914.)

CORN—$1.90 to $1.95 per sack.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, $1.60 per bu. Sweet potatoes, yams, 90; good demand.

PEAS—White, $2.50 per bushel; good demand.

BEEF—Native dressed, 8@9c.; good demand.

PORK—Small, 10@12c.; large, good, 10c.

WOOL—Burry, 11 to 12c. per lb., free 17c. per lb.

HIDES—Green salt, 12½c.; dry flints, 14@16c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—New hams, 18c.; new sides and shoulders, 14c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm, 4½@5c. per lb.

POULTRY — Chickens, good demand. Grown, 50c.; Spring chickens, 20@35c. per head; good demand.

EGGS—18c. per dozen; may go higher.

TURKEYS—Live, on foot, 18c per lb.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, N. C., May 30.—North Carolina Peanuts: Market, weaker; receipts, heavy; fancy hand-picked, 95c.; No. 1, machine-picked, 90c.; choice, 85c. per bushel.

Virginias—Steady. Fancy hand-picked, $1.10; No. 1, machine picked, $1.05 per bushel.

Spanish—Weaker, $1.25 per bushel.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Wilmington, N. C. June 2.

Atlantic Coast Line—62 bales cotton; 5 casks spirits turpentine; 3 barrels rosin; 32 barrels tar; 17 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—62 bales cotton; 5 casks spirits turpentine; 3 barrels rosin; 32 barrels tar; 17 barrels crude turpentine.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.

Petersburg, Va., May 20.—Spanish—Farmers' Spanish, steady, $1.35 per bushel.

Virginias—Fancy Jumbo, 4½c. to 4¾c. per bushel. Fancy hand-picked, 4½c. to 4¾c. per lb. Extra prime, 4¼c. to 4½c. per lb. Prime, 4c. to 4¼c. per lb. Shelling stock, 3¾c. to 4c. per lb.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, June 2.—Sugar—Raw, steady; molasses sugar, 2.74; centrifugal, 3.39; refined, steady.

Butter—Quiet.

Cheese—Firm.

Coffee—Spot, firm; Rio, No. 7, 9¾; Santos, No. 4, 12¼; mild, quiet; Cordova, 12½@16, nominal.

Cotton Seed Oil—Slightly higher on covering of shorts and fresh buying of forward months for long account. The decline in cotton was offset by the pronounced strength in lard. Final prices were 1 to 4 points net higher.

The cotton seed oil market closed steady. Spot, 7.20@7.30; June, 7.22@7.26; July, 7.29@7.31; August, 7.42@7.43; September, 7.50@7.51; October, 7.33@7.34; November, 6.95@7.03; December, 6.93@6.97; June, 6.91@6.98. Total sales, 11,500.

WHITMAN FOR GOVERNOR.

District Attorney in New York City Announced on Republican Ticket.

New York, June 1.—District Attorney Whitman, of New York, tonight announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for Governor.

It was learned also that a movement had been launched with the design of procuring Mr. Whitman's nomination on both the Republican and Progressive tickets.

MAY OR MAY NOT ACCEPT.

Dr. W. L. Pickard Elected President Mercer University.

Statesville, N. C., June 2.—Dr. W. L. Pickard, who last night was elected president of Mercer University at Macon, Ga., said here today that he had not decided whether he would accept the position or not.

Dr. Pickard, who is conducting revival services here, is now pastor of the Centenary Paptist church in Savannah, Ga.

DOWNWARD MOVE IN STOCK

Much Larger Volume of Trading Than During Recent Deadlocked Sessions—Small Decline.

New York, June 2.—A definite downward movement of stocks occurred today with a larger volume of trading than during the recent deadlock sessions in which the price level virtually was unchanged. Themarket opened at fractional recessions. On increased offerings, quotations fell away steadily. Pressure relaxed later but the list exhibited no recuperative powers.

Steady selling of New Haven, influenced aparently by the recent investigation, forced down the quotation to a new low record at 63 1-2. The stock was put out as rapidly as the market would take it and the comparatively favorable character of the road's April statement had no influence in staying the movement.

Missouri Pacific rose a point at the outset, but the advance brought out increased offerings and it soon fell back.

Foreign markets showed the influence of the Ulster crisis and recent developments in French politics. London disposed of perhaps 8,000 shares here.

Heaviness of the Coppers was associated with the lowering of metal prices abroad, and the increase in foreign supplies shown in the fortnightly report.

Strength of State and municipal bonds failed to sustain railroad issues. Total sales, par value, $1,750,000. United States 2s registered declined 1-8 on call.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Amalgamated Copper	70⅞
American Agricultural	53½
American Can	26⅝
American Car and Foundry	50⅜
American Cities, pfd	65⅛
American Cotton Oil	42
American Smelting	62¼
American Snuff	102
American Sugar	108
American Tel. and Tel	122⅝
American Tobacco	227½
Atchison	96⅞
Atlantic Coast Line	122½
Baltimore and Ohio	90
Canadian Pacific	193⅛
Central Leather	34
Chesapeake and Ohio	51⅜
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	99½
Erie	28
General Electric	147½
Great Northern, pfd	123⅜
Illinois Central	110⅜
Interborough-Met., pfd	62
Kansas City Southern	26½
Lehigh Valley	136¼
Louisville and Nashville	136
Liggett and Myers	216
Lorillard Co	172¾
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	17
Missouri Pacific	18⅝
Mexican Petroleum	61⅞
New York Central	90⅝
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	63⅝
Norfolk and Western	103⅝
Northern Pacific	109½
Pennsylvania	111¼
Reading	163⅜
Rep. Iron and Steel	22⅜
Rep. Iron and Steel, pfd	85½
Rock Island Co	21
Rock Island Co., pfd	41
St. L. and San Fran., 2nd pfd	56¾
Seaboard Air Line	19
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	54
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	26
Southern Pacific	91¾
Southern Railway	24½
Southern Railway, pfd	79½
Tenessee Copper	34⅜
Texas Co	146
Texas and Pacific	15½
Union Pacific	153⅝
United States Steel	60
United States Steel, pfd	109½
Utah Copper	56
Virginia-Caro. Chem	28⅜
Western Union	61¾

FIRST FORMAL STATEMENT.

Carranza's Agents at Washington Give Out Interview.

Washington, June 1.—Constitutionalist representatives in Washington tonight issued the first formal statement since the Niagara Falls mediation conference began. Luis Cabrera, on behalf of himself and his colleagues, Rafael Zuberan and Jose Vasconcelos, outlined the Constitutionalists attitude toward the question of representation at Niagara Falls. He maintained that it is for the United States and not the mediators or the representatives of Gen. Huerta to decide whether representatives of the Constitutionalists' cause should take part in the deliberations.

Mr. Caberera pointed out that Gen. Carranza and his adherents thoroughly appreciated the good will of the mediators and were grateful to them for their efforts to bring peace to Mexico. They believe that the United States is the proper arbiter, he said. This question was based upon careful consideration of the underlying principles of mediation, not upon any distrust of the representatives of the three South American nations.

Should the Constitutionalists participate in the Niagara conference," the statement said, "is the question to be decided before any other point. Who is to decide this question? Is it Huerta? Is it the mediators? It is the United States? Certainly not Huerta. The mediators, as such, are not interested parties in the agreement to settle differences between the United States and Mexico. The chief function of the mediator is to limit his efforts to bring the parties together and any action having the effect of forcing them apart is opposed to the very purposes of tne mediation.

"Should a conflict arise between England, which recognizes Gen. Huerta, and Mexico, no one could question the propriety of England's dealing with Huerta. But in this case there is a conflict between Mexico and the United States. The United States has not recognized Huerta as the legal President of Mexico. Neither has it recognized the Constitutionalists as the legal rulers of the country. But for the purpose of settling the present international conflict, only the United States can decide if it is satisfied to deal only with Huerta or if it wants both factions to be represented in order to insure the success of the mediation."

The Constitutionalist envoys spent most of the day awaiting word from Niagara Falls, but no answer to their communication to the mediators was received.

RAILROAD SOLD AT AUCTION.

Georgia Man and Associates Buy Greenville & Knoxville Road.

Greenville, S. C., June 1.—The Greenville & Knoxville Railroad, which for several months has been operated under a receivership, today was sold at public auction to W. T. Thompson, and associates, of Atlanta, Ga. The price paid was announced as $35,000. The road, which extends from Greenville to River Falls, S. C., is 28 miles long.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

June 3 1914.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 72 degrees; at 8 P. M., 73 degrees; maximum, 82 degrees; minimum, 68 degrees; mean, 75 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, to date, .00.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. yesterday, 2.8 feet.

WEATHER FORECAST.

For North Carolina—Generally fair Wednesday and Thursday.

The Port Calendar, June 3, 1914.

Sun rises	5:01 A. M.
Sun sets	7:19 P. M.
Day's length	14 hrs. 18 min.

Tides.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	5:17	5:55	12:13	12:34
Southport	2:54	:30	9:18	10:06
Masonboro Inlet	2:43	3:19	8:58	9:46

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

June 2, 1914.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Lowest last night.	Precipitation 8 P. M.
Abilene	raining	84	68	.0
Asheville	pt cldy	82	62	.0
Atlanta	clear	90	70	.0
Augusta	clear	92	68	.0
Birmingham	clear	92	68	.0
Boston	clear	70	58	.0
Charleston	clear	88	72	.26
Charlotte	clear	88	70	.0
Chicago	clear	72	58	.0
Galveston	clear	84	76	.0
Jacksonville	cloudy	92	72	.08
Memphis	clear	90	70	.0
Mobile	cloudy	90	76	.0
Montgomery	pt cldy	94	72	.16
New Orleans	cloudy	96	76	.0
New York	clear	74	60	.0
Oklahoma	cloudy	86	68	.0
Palestine	clear	88	70	.0
Pittsburgh	clear	74	52	.0
Raleigh	clear	82	68	.46
Savannah	raining	92	72	.72
Shreveport	clear	92	72	.0
St. Louis	clear	82	60	.0
Washington	clear	76	62	.0

WILSON REITERATES

Unsatisfactory Business Conditions Less Felt Here Than Elsewhere

Washington, June 1.—President Wilson today again expressed his conviction that any present unsatisfactory condition in business was not general and was less felt in the United States than any other part of the world. Mr. Wilson reiterated this view at the first conference he has had with the Washington correspondents since the Mexican situation became acute. In questions, however, on that subject and on the Niagara mediation conferences were barred.

RATES HELD UNREASONABLE.

From Washington to Places in South, Including Carolinas.

Washington, June 2.—Class freight rates from Washington points South, including the Carolinas, were held unreasonable today by the Inter-State Commerce Commission, in that they exceed the aggregate of the intermediate rates. The proceedings were held open to permit the railroads to make readjustments. An application by the railroads to continue lower rates between Eastern points and Richmond than are charged to Washington was denied.

FIRST IN EDGECOMBE.

Case of Pellagra Sends Victim to Insane Hospital.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Tarboro, N. C., June 2.—The first case of pellagra in the history of Edgecombe county was that of Edward Gardner, of Macclesfield, who was taken Saturday to the State insane asylum in the last stages of this dread disease. Gardner comes from a prominent family and is aged about 35 years. For about a week he had been treated here.

An Enthusiast.

Towne—Oh, yes, he's quite an enthusiast. He goes in for things in real earnest. Browne—Yes. If some one were to send him on a wild goose chase he'd speak of himself afterward as a sportsman.—Philadelphia Press.

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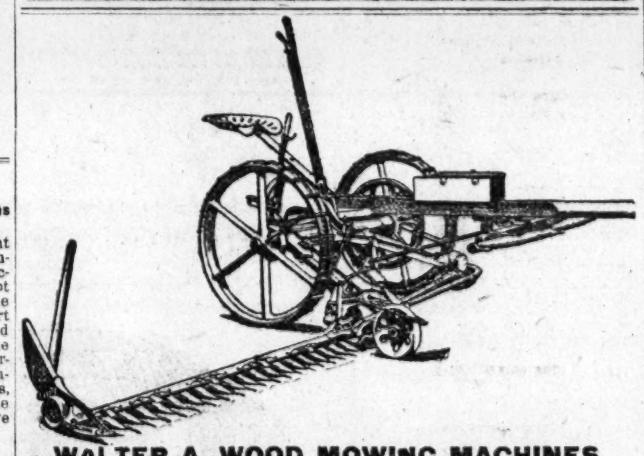

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To John Haar, Register of Deeds and Acting Entry Taker for New Hanover County:

D. L. Gore enters (8) eight acres land in Harnett Township, New Hanover County, bounded on the South and East by his Elm Grove tract, and on the North and West by his Roger Moore tract.

This the 14th day of May, 1914.

D. L. GORE.

Entered and filed this, the 14th day of May 1914.

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Register of Deeds and Acting Entry Taker for New Hanover County.

GRAHAM IS PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY

Elected Last Night to Succeed Dr. Venable.

Col. Isaac E. Emerson Presents University With Gift of Stadium to Seat 2,500 Persons—Commencement Activities Fill Day.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Chapel Hill, June 2.—Supplementing the joyous festivities of commencement, both intellectual and social, was the glad news tonight that Acting President Edward K. Graham had been elected permanent president of the University of North Carolina, to succeed Dr. Francis P. Venable, who recently sent in his resignation from London. The board of trustees met in annual session tonight and disposed of this important business in three minutes by a unanimous vote. The result of the meeting of the board was forecast by almost every one interested in the University. At the inter-society banquet last night and at the alumni luncheon today, the name of Edward K. Graham received prolonged applause whenever mentioned by any speaker.

A stadium to seat 2,500 people is the gift of Isaac E. Emerson, of Baltimore, to the Univeristy of North Carolina. That he would erect such a stadium was announced at a meeting of the alumni here tonight. Mr. Emerson is a member of the class of 1879.

Immediately after the business meeting of the trustees, a reception to alumni, seniors and visitors was held in the library, in honor of the newly-elected executive. In the receiving line stood Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Graham, Secretary and Mrs. Redfield, of Washington, Secretary and Mrs. Daniels, of Washington, and other prominent people, including a number of the faculty. The reception was over at about 12 o'clock. Richardson's orchestra, from New York, now on its way to Wrightsville Beach, furnished excellent music during the reception.

The day has been full to the utmost of commencement activities.

This morning, ex-Judge Augustus Van Wyke delivered an address one hour and a half long to the alumni of the University, urging them as one cultured force of the State to co-operate with the law makers in giving good and efficient legislation to the people.

The remainder of the morning was occupied by reunion exercises of the classes of 1864, 1889, 1894, 1904, 1909 and 1913. General Julian S. Carr presided at these exercises.

After the morning exercises fully 500 Alumni and visitors repaired to the new dining hall for dinner luncheon. There the new President Graham delivered a short address, urging the alumni to make strenuous efforts to give to the faculty larger salaries. He urged the necessity of keeping strong men at home.

Other prominent speakers were Augustus Van Wyke, of New York; Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy, Secretary Redfield and Judge Walter Clark, of Raleigh.

Tonight the inter-society debate beginning at 8:30 o'clock in Gerard Hall preceeded the reception at the library. T. C. Boushall, of Raleigh, and Wade Kornegay, of North Carolina, held up the affirmative for the Phi society; G. W. Eutsle and G. W. Martin represented the Di. on the opposition. The decision was unanimous in favor of the affirmative.

Tomorrow will terminate the commencement exercises at Chapel Hill. Degrees will be conferred and distinctions awarded. The commencement dances will follow Wednesday night and Thursday.

CONDITION OF VESSEL WHICH RAMMED EMPRESS OF IRELAND.

Bow Shattered by Collision That Resulted in Death of Hundreds.

Montreal, June 2.—The collier Storstad, which rammed the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Ireland in the St. Lawrence last Friday, causing the loss of more than 900 lives, completed unloading her cargo of coal today and it was possible to make a thorough inspection of her bow, shattered by the collision. Her stem was twisted so much to starboard that it almost formed a circle. Some of the lowermost plates in her bow also were twisted to starboard and torn away. There is a large indentation on either side of the stem and rivets are torn clear.

The condition of the Storstad stem is pointed to in connection with Capt. Anderson's claim that when the collision with the Empress of Ireland occurred it was impossible for the collier's stem to remain in the hole because it was twisted by the forward movement of the Empress.

The Canadian Pacific Railway officials stated tonight that the funeral of members of the crew of the Empress of Ireland who lost their lives in the disaster and whose bodies have not been claimed, will take place Thursday at 10 o'clock at Quebec. The Canadian Pacific will bear the expense.

According to the statement of the Montreal postoffice officials, the heavy registered mail, amounting to 1,903 packages, which went down on the Empress, is a total loss and there will be no compensation for senders or addressees. The postal regulations provide that the department only is responsible for registered mail actually lost in the mail and then only to the extent of $25 for each package.

Those who sent money orders to Europe which were lost on the Empress, however, will not be out of pocket, as duplicates will be copied and dispatched to London. It is estimated that over $140,000 in money orders went down in the mail bags.

ELEVEN HUNDRED CASES.

Of Scarlet Fever in New York State Prison—None Serious.

Auburn, N. Y., June 2.—Although there are now 1,100 cases of scarlet fever in Auburn prison, most of the patients are mildly affected. Less than 30 are confined to the prison hospital. The prison workshops are are being operated as usual.

Oneglia, Italy, June 2.—Countess Tiepolo-Oggioni, Venetian noble woman, was acquitted today on a charge of murdering the orderly of Captain Oggioni, her husband, on November 11th, 1912. The countess testified she killed the man when he entered her room and attacked her.

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CARGO AMMUNITION LEAVES NEW YORK

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the ammunition to sell to the Americans. The ammunition was confiscated and the man was released.

It was reported that since the landing of arms and ammunition from the German steamers Ypiranga and Bavaria and a big shipment by way of the West Coast, the Federals are issuing rifles and ammunition to any native who makes application. The populace between Vera Cruz and the capital is well armed. The first result of this is said to have been an anti-Huerta rising in the region of Puebla.

Smallpox on West Coast.

On Board U. S. S. California Mazatlan, Mexico June 1, (via Wireless to Sandiego, Calif., June 2.)—Smallpox has broke out at Culiacan, the capital of Sinaloa, according to advices received today by the commanding officer of the American fleet. The mortality in the Constitutionalist garrson is said to be heavy.

Culiacan a city of more than 12,000 inhabitants is an important supply depot. The existance of the pestilence there is a drawback to communication between the various Constitutionalist forces that constitute the division of the northwest.

Constitutionalists are preparing for an attack on Colima, the capital and commercial center of the State of that name, according to information received from Manzanillo today by Admiral Howard.

Forces under Trinidad, Almillo, former Governor of Colima are drawing their lines around the city.

Colima with 25,000 population is the center of the back country which supports Manzaillo. It is only thirty four miles from Manzillo.

Rebels Win Victories.

Durango Mexico., June 1.—(Delayed in transmission) Three decisive engagements with Federal troops between Zacatecas and San Luis Potosi were won by the Constitutionalists on May 30th and 31st according to reports received today byGen.Carranza. Col. Ferdinando Reyes, with six hundred men of the command of Gen. Carrera Torres, who is investing San Luis Potosi, administered a decisive defeat to a large Federal force at Salinas and later defeated a force sent from San Luis Potosi to reinforce the Salinas garrison.

At Salinas the Federal loss was 46 privates and four officers. Fourteen Federal officers were captured and executed including Col. Carlos Chavez, two lieutenant colonels, one major, four captains and six lieutenants.

Col. Catoca of the command under General Panfilo Natera, investing Zacatecas, captured a Federal troop train at Pines on May 31st, killing 60 Federals and capturing a considerable supply of ammunition and provisions.

Prairie at Norfolk.

Norfolk, Va., June 2.—The United States cruiser Prairie, which took a perminent part in the capture of Vera Cruz, arrived in Hampton Roads today. She will sail for New York tomorrow. She brought here Lieut. Col. William Lassiter, of Petersburg, of the fourth field artillery furloughed home, ill of dysentery Lieutenant R. E. Anderson, of the same command, sick, and Naval Lieutenant Lannon, shot through the lungs at Vera Cruz.

The military officers were sent to the hospital at Old Point. Sol.. Lassiter and 20 wounded and sick sailors were brought to the naval hospital here.

The collier Jason, with United States Vice Consul Silliman on board which left Vera Cruz May 29th is expected in Hampton Roads tomorrow.

Would Not Carry Arms.

Washington, June 2.—A report from the cruiser Albany, sent at 8 p. m. Monday, says the Japanese steamer Seiyo Maru arrived at Salina Cruz, Mexico, on Sunday and left for Peru without landing arms or ammunition. It is understood by Admiral Howard that the Japanese declined to carry them.

Germany Raises Howl.

Hamburg, June 2.—Fines imposed on the steamers Ypiranga and Bavaria by American officials at Vera Cruz will be made the subject or representations to Washington, it was said at the office of the Hamburg-American Line today. The steamship company regards the fines as purely a custom house question devoid of political significance.

Accident to Cruiser.

Washington, June 2.—Commander Christy, of the scout cruiser Salem, at Puerto Mexico, reported to the Navy Department tonight that a boiler tube blew out on board his ship today, seriously injuring three men of the engine room force. The names of the men were not given.

SUFFRAGISTS INVADE WEST.

Both Vote Getters and Antis on Speech Making Tour in Montana.

New York, June 2.—Miss Marjorie Dorman, secretary of Wage Earners Anti-Suffrage League, who left Sunday for Montana to take part in the campaign against votes for women there this summer, will find plenty of opposition from Eastern suffragists who plan to start this week on her trail.

Miss Ida Craft, who won the title of "colonel" in the army of Miss (General) Rosalie Jones on hikes to Albany and Washington, will start for Montana on Saturday. Miss Jones left for the West last week but planned to stop at several cities on the way.

Miss Dorman will work out of Reno, Nev., the anti-suffragist society headquarters, where Miss Clara Markson and Miss Minnie Bronson will join her for a speech-making campaign through Montana.

CANDIDATE YACHTS DEFENSE IN RACE

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ner sloop got her racing stride there was little change in the relative positions of the two yachts and they hurried down the sound toward the Long Island short. The second leg was a series of tacks and the Vanitie drew up on the Resolute until less than 100 yards separated the sloops. As they swung around for the second round of the course the yachts virtually were becalmed. The Vanitie soon passed her rival.

The course was a reach and the Vanitie drew slowly ahead in the slight breeze. Heading back across the sound there was no change in the relative positions until the wind became fluky again and finally died away.

Working slowly across the sound the Vanitie first felt a stiffening breeze. With every sail drawing the Cochran sloop drew rapidly away from the Herreshoff craft. The Vanitie turned the buoy fully a mile in the lead. So fast did the Gardner craft sail that she was more than three miles ahead of the Resolute when the latter finally turned the second mark and followed in her wake.

AN INTERNATIONAL ROMANCE OF TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO.

Tale of How Foreign Nobleman Sacrified Title—His Death.

New York, June 2.—An international romance of 25 years ago, for which title and position were sacrificed, was was made here of the death on Sunday, of Rodulph Ferdiand August Maria Von Klenner-Domrowski, Marquis of Patteri and Count of Castlenova, soldier, diplomat and linguist.

When he landed in America in 1885 he took the name of Rudolph Ferdinand Von Klenner. He was married to Miss Katherine W. Evans, of Rochester, N. Y., whom he had met in Europe. Mrs. Von Kleenner is now living in the apartments in Eighth avenue which she long occupied with her husband. There are no children.

He was born 63 years ago in Medina Italy, and was the son of Baron Francis Xaxier Von Klenner, an imperial royal and ducal field marshal. In 1866 his father left Italy and entered the service of the Austrian crown. His son took up arms for Austria and before being retired he was commissioned a second lieutenant.

Injuries resulted in a transfer to the diplomatic service. In 1817 he was sent to Rio de Janeiro Brazil and later served in St. Petersburg, Berlin, Stuttgart, Paris, Munich and Stockholm.

OLD TREATY USED BY INDIANS.

To Prove Their Right to Fish in Rivers—Treaty Upheld by Court.

Buffalo, N. Y., June 2.—A treaty dated 1797, sanctioned by the Senate and signed by the President, was successfully used by three Seneca Indians yesterday in the Supreme Court as a defense against the charge that they were illegally fishing in Eighteen-Mile Creek. The arrests were made by a deputy game warden.

The case came before Justice Pooley on habeas corpus proceedings. Chief Kennedy produced the book containing the treaty, which gave the Indians perpetual rights to fish and hunt in the section of the county where they were arrested.

Justice Pooley held that the treaty superceded the State laws, and the Indians were released.

HINDU LEADER AND CLAN WILL RETURN TO ASIA

Canadian Government Adopted Policy of Delay—Trouble is Planned

Vancouver, B. C., June 2.—Gurdit Singh, the rich Hindu leader, and his 375 countrymen who sough admission to Canada as British subpects are about to sail back to Asia on the steamer Komagata, which brought them here. The Canadian immigration authorities adopted a policy of delay, under which the examination of the prospective immigrants would have lasted two or more years.

Gurdit Singh declare he hopes to stir up serious trouble for the British Empire in India because of the alleged indignities inflicted on his country men on the Canadian West Coast.

FINE CROPS IN PENDER.

Despite the Dry Weather—Rain at Burgaw.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Burgow, N. C., June 2.—Nothwithstanding the dry weather that has prevailed in this section so long, Mr. James E. Rivenbark, rural letter carrier on Route 3, west of Burgaw, says the crops on his route are looking fine, the splendid rain that visited Burgaw Friday did not extend far in either direction, but it was most refreshing here, and was badly needed.

DIED SUDDENLY.

Government Empoyee Drops Dead—Father Formerly Mayor of Richmond

Philadalphia, June 2.—George A Traylor, special agent of the Department of Labor at Washington, died suddenly today while in this city on Government business. He was 62 years old and had been connected with the Government service about 25 years. His father was a former mayor of Richmond, Va. The body will be taken to Falls Church, Virginia, for burial.

Fort Bayard, N. M., June 2.—Captain O. Walkup medical corps, U. S. A., was instantly killed yesterday by lightning while driving his automobile. Cautain Walkup who was at the wheel, was struck squarely in the forehead by the bolt of lightning.

New Castle, Pa., June 2.—Reports of the Home Mission Board and the Commission on Church Extension today took up the entire session of the United Presbyterian General Assembly. The mission report was finally adopted.

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